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## COUNTY OFFICERS.

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### COMMISSIONERS.

J. B. TENNANT, Short Falls.  
GEORGE A. FOSTER, Concord.  
A. J. THURSTON, Franklin.

### TREASURER.

WARREN ABBOTT, Webster.

### SOLICITOR.

GEORGE M. FLETCHER, Concord.

### SHERIFF.

FRANK G. EDGERLY, Concord.

### CLERK OF SUPREME COURT.

A. J. SHURTLEFF, Concord.

### JUDGE OF PROBATE.

HON. ARTHUR W. SILSBY, Concord.

### REGISTER OF PROBATE.

JOHN P. NUTTER, Concord.

### REGISTER OF DEEDS.

SAMUEL N. BROWN, Concord.

AUDITORS.

JOSEPH B. WALKER, Concord.  
WILLIAM J. AHERN, Concord.

SUPERINTENDENT OF FARM.

CHARLES H. HILTON, Andover.

CHAPLAIN.

REV. A. GIBSON, Boscawen.

PHYSICIAN.

H. C. HOLBROOK, Penacook (Farm).

## COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

*To the Citizens of Merrimack County :*

As required by law, we submit to you the annual reports of commissioners, treasurer, superintendent of county farm and house of correction, clerk of the supreme court, sheriff, jailor, solicitor, farm physician, and auditors for 1898.

During the year we have paid \$6,000 on the bonded debt, also \$4,609.64 on floating indebtedness, thereby reducing total debt \$10,609.64. The cost of supporting inmates and prisoners at the farm has been \$2.16+ per week. All of the buildings require painting.

Nearly every room in the main house must be patched or replastered. Additional room must be provided for the insane, also extensive repairs are very much needed in the old part of asylum. A separate building should be provided for prisoners; both inmates and prisoners occupy the same rooms for eating and sleeping. A change is very desirable, also, on account of security of those confined.

We wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Hilton and their associates for the efficient manner in which they have performed their duties.

J. B. TENNANT,  
GEORGE A. FOSTER,  
A. J. THURSTON.

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February 1, 1899.

Statement of the financial condition of Merrimack county, at the close of the fiscal year ending December 31, 1899:



Total debt . . . . .	\$101,000.00
Cash on hand . . . . .	33,950.02
Net debt . . . . .	67,049.98
Valuation of county farm, jail, and court house . . . . .	95,000.00
Valuation of stock and personal property .	16,891.62

Purpose for which debt was incurred, court house, jail, county farm, and floating indebtedness.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of the financial condition of Merrimack county, as shown by the records.

GEORGE A. FOSTER,  
*Clerk of Board of County Commissioners.*



## TREASURER'S REPORT.

In compliance with the General Laws, the following record of receipts and expenditures of Merrimack county, for the year ending January 1, 1899, is respectfully submitted:

## RECEIPTS.

Balance from report of January 1, 1898 . . . \$29,340.38

*County Taxes, 1897.*

Hill . . . . .	428.14
Webster . . . . .	333.19
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	\$761.33

*County Taxes, 1898.*

Allentown . . . . .	\$1,696.30
Andover . . . . .	1,447.02
Boscawen . . . . .	1,836.13
Bow . . . . .	1,428.78
Bradford . . . . .	1,422.70
Canterbury . . . . .	900.00
Chichester . . . . .	1,143.02
Concord . . . . .	42,200.69
Danbury . . . . .	796.47
Dunbarton . . . . .	1,167.34
Epsom . . . . .	1,209.90
Franklin . . . . .	9,156.35
Henniker . . . . .	2,292.12
Hill . . . . .	200.00
Hooksett . . . . .	2,310.37
Hopkinton . . . . .	2,863.65

Loudon . . . . .	\$1,848.29
Newbury . . . . .	826.87
New London . . . . .	1,124.79
Northfield . . . . .	700.00
Pembroke . . . . .	3,562.83
Pittsfield . . . . .	3,526.35
Salisbury . . . . .	875.51
Sutton . . . . .	1,045.75
Warner . . . . .	2,486.69
Webster . . . . .	688.30
Wilmot . . . . .	790.39
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	\$89,546.61

NOTE.—The following towns owed a balance on county tax for the year 1898:

Chichester . . . . .	\$589.58
Hill . . . . .	335.03
Northfield . . . . .	728.78
Webster . . . . .	400.00

#### FARM.

C. H. Hilton . . . . .	\$2,344.78
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#### MONEY BORROWED.

Note No. 68 . . . . .	\$ 5,000.00
Note No. 69 . . . . .	10,000.00
Note No. 70 . . . . .	10,000.00
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	\$25,000.00

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Jonathan Rowe, moiety suit, State <i>v.</i> Hoague, liquor case, Newbury . . . . .	\$5.00
Geo. W. Currier, one half fine Mer. Co. Fish and Game League <i>v.</i> Frank L. Flanders . . . . .	25.00
Lewis Buzzell, on acct. aid received through the town of Salisbury . . . . .	1.00
E. E. Leighton, justice, one half fines in cases State <i>v.</i> Gregg, Chandler & Weed . . . . .	16.50

G. S. Philbrook, selectman, Tilton, aid to Fannie Doherty from April 1, 1897, to April 1, 1898 . . . . .	\$227.55
County of Grafton, for support of Wauton J. Tucker, of Danbury . . . . .	50.00
A. J. Shurtleff, clerk supreme court . . . . .	1,360.50
A. J. Thurston, aid to Alice Ladd, Franklin . . . . .	15.00
W. G. Buxton, justice, on acct. fine, State, Holmes, comp. <i>v.</i> Bassett . . . . .	1.00
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	\$1,701.55



## EXPENDITURES.

## FARM.

*January.*

Emri Lapierre, clothing . . . . .	\$12.47
Geo. A. Berry & Co., medicine . . . . .	5.75
H. E. Taylor & Co., fish . . . . .	7.50
Lucy H. Kimball, labor, copying . . . . .	16.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	25.58

*February.*

W. D. Tuttle, 2 dozen Tuttle's Elixer . . . . .	8.00
H. A. Tuttle & Co., clothing . . . . .	14.00
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	118.75
H. A. Tuttle, clothing . . . . .	504.50
Morrill & Danforth, insurance on boilers . . . . .	50.00
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . . .	148.58
N. H. Provision Co., meat . . . . .	69.65
G. W. Fisher, beef . . . . .	14.30
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . . .	34.38
Leroy R. Thompson, meat . . . . .	76.38
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . . .	113.54
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	104.31
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	34.47
James Colby, butter . . . . .	17.46
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . . .	78.42
Foote, Brown & Co., butter . . . . .	26.00
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	50.64
C. Pelissier & Co., repair harness . . . . .	5.12
Edward McShane, shoeing horses . . . . .	8.25
Mrs. John Sanborn, meadow hay . . . . .	36.00
Harry G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	98.82

Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . .	\$39.90
Stratton & Co., flour and grain . . . .	253.20
John E. Rines, 1,000 brick . . . .	6.00
F. H. Robinson, wood . . . .	100.00

*March.*

Guy H. Hubbard, recording births and deaths .	3.00
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . .	26.36
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . .	21.40
E. L. Davis, 970 lbs. shot . . . .	48.50
L. E. Currier, 12 shot . . . .	46.00
Underhill & Kittredge, disinfectant . . . .	25.00
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . .	99.08
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . .	63.54
Stratton & Co., grain . . . .	116.20
Fred Reed & Co., groceries . . . .	32.34
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . .	13.00
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . .	92.27
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . .	26.04
E. B. Hutchinson Bldg. Co., repairs . . . .	34.89
Jason Kidder, repairs to boiler . . . .	21.08
W. B. Drown, express, freight, R. R. tickets, and stamps . . . .	56.26
Union Publishing Co., <i>Daily Union</i> to Jan. 1, 1899 . . . .	11.50
N. H. Democratic Press Co., <i>Weekly People</i> to Sept. 12, 1898 . . . .	2.00
John Laro, labor . . . .	60.00
James & Wheeler, butter . . . .	14.62
E. M. Slayton & Co., butter . . . .	66.06
John Perkins, butter . . . .	21.60
The Daniels-Cornell Co., brooms . . . .	5.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service . .	2.20
J. M. Colby, wood . . . .	350.50
H. K. Thompson, coffins and boxes . . . .	26.75
Perley Root, wood . . . .	86.93

W. B. Drown, express, freight, telegrams, and R. R. tickets . . . . .	\$43.47
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	1.67
Fleischmann & Co., yeast . . . . .	9.18
H. A. Tuttle, clothing . . . . .	20.50
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	33.04
Daniels-Cornell Co., cask of soda . . . . .	2.63

*April.*

Fred M. Eaton, labor . . . . .	22.50
Geo. Wiggin, labor, self and wife . . . . .	175.00
C. S. Wales, labor . . . . .	65.00
H. A. Ordway, labor . . . . .	58.50
Mrs. Martha Dinsmore, labor . . . . .	65.00
B. E. Woodward, labor . . . . .	75.00
C. M. Hawser, labor . . . . .	90.00
Mrs. M. E. Smith, labor . . . . .	65.00
W. H. Craig, labor . . . . .	90.00
J. M. Scales, labor . . . . .	52.00
A. C. Williams, labor . . . . .	52.00
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware . . . . .	45.82
Thompson & Hoague, hardware . . . . .	26.61
Harry G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	77.78
Stratton & Co., flour and meal . . . . .	112.00
E. M. Slayton & Co., butter . . . . .	81.00
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	11.12
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . . .	163.55
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	8.52
Fred Reed & Co., groceries . . . . .	8.69
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	68.57
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . . .	59.56
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . . .	133.78
J. H. McKeagh & Sen, meat . . . . .	9.52
Laroy R. Thompson, meat . . . . .	50.52
E. N. Spencer, fish . . . . .	5.50



Baker & Knowlton, medicine . . . . .	\$4.40
Baker & Knowlton, medicine . . . . .	32.31
A. Perley Fitch, medicine . . . . .	7.50
C. H. Martin & Co., medicine . . . . .	38.87
D. W. Sullivan, medicine . . . . .	23.37
J. C. French & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	6.85
Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . . .	66.56
A. H. Campbell, shotes . . . . .	46.00
C. A. Stevens, shote . . . . .	5.50
L. E. Currier, shotes . . . . .	48.00
Eagle Clothing Co., clothing . . . . .	58.50
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	41.75
Philbrick Furniture Co., iron bedsteads and mat- tresses . . . . .	148.00
F. E. Nelson, crockery, etc. . . . .	16.20
Concord Coal Co., horse . . . . .	75.00
W. B. Drown, freight on coal . . . . .	21.19
W. B. Drown, R. R. tickets, freight, and postage	47.18
C. H. Hilton, cash paid for sundries . . . . .	26.12
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services . . . . .	75.00
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., return of births and deaths . . . . .	4.50
Dame & Sheplee, coffin and box . . . . .	16.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel Co., telephone . . . . .	25.35
Stevens & Duncklee, stove and tin ware . . . . .	31.70
J. J. H. Gregory & Son, seeds . . . . .	10.70
A. P. Sherburne, spectacles and clock . . . . .	6.88
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal . . . . .	101.90

*May.*

William O. Smith, meat . . . . .	14.76
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . . .	65.49
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . . .	46.72
N. H. Provision Co., meat . . . . .	60.60
J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . . .	10.32

Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . .	\$47.90
Fred Reed & Co., groceries . . . .	31.93
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . .	169.35
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . .	10.27
Geo. A. Berry & Co., medicine . . . .	6.15
A. P. Fitch, medicine . . . .	7.28
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . .	51.55
Foote, Brown & Co., fertilizer . . . .	125.00
W. W. Cutshell, fertilizer . . . .	56.00
Eagle Clothing Co., clothing . . . .	2.50
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . .	72.50
Henry O. Adams, clothing . . . .	75.50
H. O. Adams, clothing . . . .	75.50
H. D. Hammond, dry goods . . . .	30.45
W. O. Smith, cutting ice . . . .	28.56
Stratton & Co., flour and grain . . . .	417.30
Foote, Brown & Co., beans . . . .	3.52
James & Wheeler, butter and eggs . . . .	24.39
E. M. Slayton & Co., butter and eggs . . . .	144.48
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . .	33.32
George E. Downes, salt . . . .	10.05
W. B. Drown, express, freight, telegrams, and R. R. tickets . . . .	66.44
S. Wardner & Co., tobacco . . . .	28.16
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . .	38.80
Crystal Oil Co., kerosene oil . . . .	12.15
Edward McShane, shoeing horses and repairs wagon . . . .	10.05
Colby & Huntoon, shoeing horses . . . .	6.50
C. J. Richards, repairs on organ . . . .	6.50
G. K. Mellen, hats . . . .	34.80
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . .	1.12
Everett Davis, cow, calf, and shote . . . .	43.00

*June.*

W. C. French, cow . . . . .	\$40.00
Otis Connor, two cows . . . . .	66.50
Alfred P. Batchelder, seed corn . . . . .	5.50
Stratton & Co., grain . . . . .	54.32
H. E. Conant, laundry . . . . .	4.25
F. H. Robinson, wood . . . . .	387.50
W. B. Drown, express, freight, R. R. tickets, and C. O. D. bills . . . . .	87.41
Dame & Sheplee, coffin and boxes . . . . .	10.00
A. K. Day, M. D., professional services . . . . .	5.00
A. Perley Fitch, medicines . . . . .	30.50
C. R. Schoolcraft & Son, butter . . . . .	33.40
E. M. Slayton & Co., butter . . . . .	40.23
Foote, Brown & Co. . . . .	52.32
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . . .	145.61
J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . . .	6.24
G. B. Emmons, meat and vegetables . . . . .	31.78
N. H. Provision Co., meat and potatoes . . . . .	109.52
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	9.36
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . . .	33.95
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	189.56
Fred Reed & Co., groceries . . . . .	12.25
Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . . .	17.15
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . . .	10.85
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	9.00
Henry O. Adams, clothing . . . . .	9.35
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	94.50
W. J. Ahern, clothing . . . . .	34.75
Henry O. Adams, clothing . . . . .	13.50
H. G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	71.28
Underhill & Kittredge, disinfectant . . . . .	35.00
J. C. French & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	23.75
H. K. Thompson, coffins and boxes . . . . .	26.00
Merrill Perry, beans . . . . .	6.00



N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . .	\$3.98
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . .	20.08
F. A. Dunlap, butter . . . .	7.20
James P. Brown, two breeding sows . .	24.00
Fleischmann & Co., yeast . . . .	8.46
Samuel Choate, tax on farm in town of Bos- cawen . . . .	126.59

*July.*

C. N. Howser, labor . . . .	90.00
W. H. Craig, labor . . . .	90.00
Mrs. H. Woodward, labor . . . .	35.28
H. A. Ordway, labor . . . .	58.50
M. E. Smith, labor . . . .	65.00
B. E. Woodworth, labor . . . .	75.00
C. S. Wales, labor . . . .	65.00
M. J. Dinsmore, labor . . . .	65.00
Fred M. Eaton, labor, self and wife . .	135.00
J. O. Ford, labor, self and wife . . . .	110.00
Morrill & Danforth, insurance . . . .	319.50
Roby & Knowles, insurance . . . .	7.50
Buxton & Sherburne, insurance . . . .	58.50
L. R. Thompson, beef . . . .	21.00
Wm. O. Smith, meat . . . .	56.09
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . .	74.89
J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . .	6.72
N. H. Provision Co., meat and potatoes . .	105.77
G. B. Emmons, meat and vegetables . . . .	65.75
E. M. Slayton & Co., butter . . . .	54.54
Fred Shaw, butter . . . .	12.96
C. F. Gove, butter . . . .	19.22
Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . .	3.65
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . .	35.75
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . .	126.05
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . .	45.60
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . .	82.25

H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services . . . . .	\$75.00
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	48.50
F. H. Robinson, two hogs . . . . .	33.96
W. B. Drown, wood . . . . .	45.00
W. B. Drown, express, freight, R. R. tickets, and telegrams . . . . .	54.38
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., carpet . . . . .	7.20
C. H. Martin & Co., medicine, turpentine, etc. . . . .	44.57
Stratton & Co., grain . . . . .	54.40
Lee Brothers, steam pipe . . . . .	10.81
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware . . . . .	70.63
Thompson & Hoague, hardware . . . . .	17.42
Philbrick Furniture Co., mattresses . . . . .	25.40
E. N. Spencer, fish . . . . .	22.45
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	9.36
A. H. Britton & Co., wire . . . . .	4.95
Stevens & Dunklee, stove and tin ware . . . . .	37.65
Frank L. Sanders, envelopes . . . . .	1.10
W. C. Marden, meadow hay . . . . .	10.00
F. E. Nelson, sundry supplies . . . . .	24.95
C. H. Hilton, cash paid for sundries . . . . .	46.28
Edward McShane, shoeing horses . . . . .	4.75
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	25.15

*August.*

Fred Reed & Co., groceries . . . . .	39.65
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	60.31
Shepard Grocery Co., groceries . . . . .	153.53
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . . .	62.03
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	5.63
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . . .	54.28
H. P. Shaw, butter . . . . .	19.62
F. A. Dunlap, butter . . . . .	7.20
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . . .	16.26
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . . .	49.02

J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . .	\$28.96
N. H. Provision Co., meat . . . .	71.20
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . .	8.96
Asa Morrison, boots and shoes . . . .	25.52
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . .	25.65
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes . . . .	11.25
James Duffy, boots and shoes . . . .	15.39
A. Perley Fitch, medicines, . . . .	61.06
C. W. Lerner & Co., disinfectant . . . .	25.00
Rev. Andrew Gibson, preaching . . . .	36.00
W. J. Ahern, clothing . . . .	5.00
F. A. Ross, clothing . . . .	76.30
Morrison Bros., dry goods . . . .	164.70
Crystal Oil Co., kerosene oil . . . .	18.40
E. G. Leach, insurance . . . .	129.75
George R. Stone, insurance . . . .	30.00
H. A. Currier, repairs . . . .	4.01
C. A. Cochran, plumbing repairs . . . .	47.35
A. H. Britton & Co., repairs, mowing machine .	9.60
Mrs. J. W. Russell, cow . . . .	40.00

*September.*

Underhill & Kittredge, drugs . . . .	23.55
W. C. Spicer, drugs . . . .	5.35
C. H. Fowler, drugs . . . .	3.00
C. H. Martin & Co., drugs . . . .	33.75
W. C. French, meat . . . .	157.60
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . .	68.58
S. R. Yeaton, meat . . . .	22.86
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . .	47.06
N. H. Provision Co., meat . . . .	35.69
J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . .	10.35
E. N. Spencer, fish . . . .	18.00
Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . .	45.10
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . .	101.03

Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	\$12.62
J. D. Kirk, groceries . . . . .	15.06
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	22.96
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . . .	141.77
Fred Dunlap, butter . . . . .	7.20
Shepard Grocery Co., corned beef . . . . .	11.25
Oscar Shaw, potatoes . . . . .	14.14
Stratton & Co., grain . . . . .	65.70
George Folsom, apples and peaches . . . . .	5.00
Morrison Bros., dry goods . . . . .	73.96
H. G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	2.72
Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . . .	6.35
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . . .	45.70
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	10.00
H. O. Adams, clothing . . . . .	15.00
John G. McQuilken, clothing . . . . .	21.30
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	61.00
W. J. Ahern, clothing . . . . .	25.00
W. B. Drown, express, R. R. tickets, and freight	60.90
W. B. Drown, express, R. R. tickets, and freight	48.45
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	1.44
John E. Rines, hay for bedding . . . . .	5.00
H. O. Marsh, coal . . . . .	146.67
J. R. Hill & Co., brushes and straps . . . . .	4.55
Edward McShane, shoeing horses . . . . .	4.70
C. W. Lerner & Co., disinfectant . . . . .	25.00
Hugh Tallant, lumber . . . . .	74.52
C. H. Hilton, cash paid for sundries . . . . .	68.63
H. Shaw, potatoes and butter . . . . .	10.60
J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . . .	22.45
E. Corser, meat, butter, and pasturing . . . . .	29.04
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	2.44
H. A. Ordway, labor . . . . .	58.50
M. E. Smith, labor . . . . .	65.00
C. S. Wales, labor . . . . .	65.00



Adda Brono, labor . . . . .	\$67.50
W. H. Craig, labor . . . . .	90 00
C. M. Howser, labor . . . . .	90.00
Fleischmann & Co., yeast . . . . .	7.02
A. Perley Fitch, drugs . . . . .	20.85
C. H. Fowler, drugs . . . . .	3.60

*October.*

Hall P. Shaw, butter . . . . .	8.00
C. F. Grove, butter . . . . .	18.75
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . . .	136.15
J. F. Woodward, eggs* . . . . .	13.56
C. H. Martin & Co., drugs . . . . .	37.00
Thompson & Hoague, hardware . . . . .	10.95
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware . . . . .	28.25
James Duffy, shoes . . . . .	8.50
Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . . .	27.45
Stevens & Duncklee, tin ware . . . . .	9.50
Stevens & Duncklee, tin ware . . . . .	3.00
N. H. Provision Co., meat . . . . .	88.10
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . . .	95.95
J. H. McKeagh & Son, meat . . . . .	16.10
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	118.53
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	18.62
Shepard Grocery Co., groceries . . . . .	66.48
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	104.50
Henry O. Adams, clothing . . . . .	18.45
Rufus M. Davis, clothing . . . . .	12.00
E. Woodward, labor . . . . .	52.00
B. E. Woodward, labor . . . . .	75.00
Fred N. Eaton, labor, self and wife . . . . .	135.00
J. O. Ford, labor, self and wife . . . . .	150.00
Foote, Brown & Co., dry goods . . . . .	147.89
C. W. Lerner & Co., disinfectant . . . . .	25.00
George Folsom, onions . . . . .	10.00

Fred Shaw, 7 pigs, and cheese . . . . .	\$18.40
Oscar Shaw, potatoes and butter . . . . .	20.60
Stratton & Co., flour and grain . . . . .	160.90
Warren Webster, 2 hogs . . . . .	18 00
F. E. Nelson, sundries . . . . .	15.26
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services . . . . .	75.00
W. B. Drown, R. R. tickets, express, freight, telegrams, and postage . . . . .	85.27
Scannell & Wholey, grates for boiler . . . . .	32.25
A. P. Sherburne, spectacles and combs . . . . .	9.05
William O. Smith, meat . . . . .	82.66
Leroy R. Thompson, meat . . . . .	170.14
John Colby, meat . . . . .	21.90
Crystal Oil Co., kerosene . . . . .	12.80
Foote, Brown & Co., butter and dry goods . . . . .	27.68
Fred Reed & Co., groceries . . . . .	24.90
Truesdell & Blodgett, clothing . . . . .	219.00
Kidder & Whittier, repairs on boiler . . . . .	46.96
Rev. Andrew Gibson, preaching . . . . .	25.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	30.08

*November.*

Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . . .	156.17
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	98.44
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	20.62
C. W. Clarke & Son, shoes . . . . .	7.50
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . . .	43.70
C. F. Thompson, boots and shoes . . . . .	35.50
G. E. Brown, butter . . . . .	25.60
Jerry Gove, butter . . . . .	10.00
N. H. Provision Co., butter . . . . .	20.80
J. H. McKeagh & Son, butter . . . . .	15.50
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . . .	97.31
Fred Shaw, meat and butter . . . . .	39.15
D. W. Mann, beef . . . . .	28.80

Fred Shaw, beef . . . . .	\$32.07
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . . .	14.00
Stratton & Co., flour and grain . . . . .	212.10
Stratton & Co., flour and grain . . . . .	101.25
Underhill & Kittredge, drugs . . . . .	38.53
A. P. Fitch, drugs . . . . .	27.66
C. H. Hilton, services of self and wife as supt. and matron . . . . .	300.00
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	48.00
Hugh Tallant, cow and calf . . . . .	35.00
W. B. Drown, express, freight, R. R. tickets, and telegrams . . . . .	37.67
Simpson, Miller & Co., lard . . . . .	26.78
Foote, Brown & Co., nutritom . . . . .	13.00
<i>The Household</i> , paper to date . . . . .	3.80
Republican Press Ass'n, <i>Daily Monitor</i> , to Oct. 1, '98 . . . . .	6.00
N. H. Dem. Press Co., <i>Daily People and Patriot</i> to Feb. 1, '99 . . . . .	5.00
Philbrick Furniture Co., stove . . . . .	6.00
Carroll Colby, beef cow . . . . .	27.50
George W. Busiel, stockings . . . . .	41.00
Crystal Oil Co., kerosene oil . . . . .	17.00
Draper & Maynard Co., gloves . . . . .	28.50

*December.*

Miss H. A. Ordway, labor . . . . .	37.25
M. Dinsmore, labor . . . . .	65.00
B. E. Woodward, labor . . . . .	75.00
E. F. Woodward, labor . . . . .	52.00
W. H. Craig, labor . . . . .	90.00
M. E. Smith, labor . . . . .	65.00
C. S. Wales, labor . . . . .	65.00
C. M. Howser, labor . . . . .	90.00
W. A. Walcott, labor . . . . .	17.71

O. Ford, labor . . . . .	\$150.00
Fred N. Eaton, labor, self and wife . . . . .	137.21
C. H. Hilton, services, self and wife as supt. and matron . . . . .	300.00
C. H. Hilton, services, self and wife as supt. and matron . . . . .	300.00
Shepard Grocery Co., groceries . . . . .	87.15
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . . .	197.20
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . . .	47.30
The Daniels-Cornell Co., groceries . . . . .	29.76
Foote, Brown & Co., butter . . . . .	24.40
Jerry Gove, butter . . . . .	20.80
Jerry Gove, butter . . . . .	17.40
Jerry Gove, butter . . . . .	23.00
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . . .	60.45
F. Martin, butter . . . . .	22.00
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . . .	9.72
Concord Beef Co., meat . . . . .	8 89
Horace Fowler, meat . . . . .	27.74
James Frame, meat . . . . .	30.25
Proctor & Burt, boots and shoes . . . . .	13.25
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . . .	57.50
James Duffy, boots and shoes . . . . .	7.00
J. C. French & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	22.48
W. J. Ahern, clothing . . . . .	11.25
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . . .	38.80
Henry O. Adams, clothing . . . . .	78.75
F. A. Ross, clothing . . . . .	127.20
N. W. McMurphy, M. D., professional services . . . . .	10.00
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services . . . . .	75.00
C. H. Martin & Co., medicine . . . . .	65.05
A. P. Fitch, medicine . . . . .	60.59
H. J. Kidder & Co., beef . . . . .	10.75
John Colby, beef . . . . .	31.95
C. C. Kenrick, beef . . . . .	90.18



Warren Tripp, six beef cattle . . . .	\$187.50
Harry G. Emmons, dry goods . . . .	24.39
Harry G. Emmons, dry goods . . . .	25.08
R. F. Robinson, dry goods . . . .	3.62
Morrison Bros., dry goods . . . .	112.80
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . .	3.23
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . .	5.27
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., furniture . . . .	16.00
J. F. Woodward, eggs . . . .	31.60
W. J. Ahern, mittens . . . .	17.50
E. N. Spencer, fish and oysters . . . .	32.85
Byron L. French, pasturing horse . . . .	10.00
J. G. Eastman, oat straw . . . .	5.00
J. G. Eastman, straw and apples . . . .	7.00
Hiram O. Marsh, coal . . . .	127.37
W. O. Smith, cutting ensilage . . . .	40.00
C. W. Lerner & Co., disinfectant . . . .	25.00
W. B. Drown, express, telegrams, freight, R. R. fares, and postage . . . .	57.37
Fleischmann & Co., yeast . . . .	7.02
F. H. Robinson, wood . . . .	287.00
The Kidder Machine Co., new steam pipe and packing . . . .	223.85
Lee Bros., steam fittings . . . .	.78
Rowell & Plummer, mason repairs . . . .	4.78
Holt Bros., sled . . . .	3.64
C. H. Martin & Co., medicine . . . .	6.88
Foote, Brown & Co., butter . . . .	40.40
E. M. Slayton Co., butter . . . .	66.00
Jerry Gove, butter . . . .	22.40
G. B. Emmons, meat . . . .	83.66
D. W. Mann, meat . . . .	25.32
J. G. Eastman, meat . . . .	6.98
L. R. Thompson, beef . . . .	266.64
Concord Beef Co., beef . . . .	41.75

Woodworth & Co., groceries . . . .	\$46.64
Dickerman & Co., groceries . . . .	84.09
Batchelder & Co., groceries . . . .	63.54
Henry O. Adams, clothing . . . .	15.25
Kimball, Corser & Powell, clothing . . . .	70.75
Edward McShane, shoeing horses . . . .	9.60
Stratton & Co., grain . . . .	101.25
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware . . . .	24.96
John C. Thorne, boots and shoes . . . .	65.60
Dame & Sheplee, coffin and robe . . . .	38.68
Chas. L. Edgerly, Lavassa soap . . . .	3.92
Holt Bros. Mfg. Co., sled . . . .	2.14
W. B. Drown, R. R. tickets, stamps, and freight	64.34
F. E. Nelson, sundries . . . .	13.38
C. H. Hilton, cash paid for sundries . . . .	42.68
A. R. Ayers, potatoes . . . .	16.20
Stevens & Duncklee, lamp stove . . . .	.88
A. H. Britton & Co., axes . . . .	9.20
E. N. Spencer, oysters and fish . . . .	20.63
H. E. Colby, repairing sleds . . . .	31.15
S. Choate, 75 lbs. chicken . . . .	12.00
C. H. Hilton, services, self and wife as supt. and matron . . . .	300.00
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## PAUPERS OFF FARM.

*February.*

Town of Allenstown . . . . .	\$1,459.16
Town of Boscawen . . . . .	763.50
Town of Bow . . . . .	91.25
Town of Bradford . . . . .	218.90
Town of Canterbury . . . . .	250.35
Town of Chichester . . . . .	155.00
City of Concord . . . . .	4,626.01

Town of Danbury . . . . .	\$590.64
Town of Dunbarton . . . . .	192.26
Town of Epsom . . . . .	325.53
City of Franklin . . . . .	2,634.84
Town of Henniker . . . . .	410.90
Town of Hill . . . . .	216.07
Town of Hooksett . . . . .	734.06
Town of Hopkinton . . . . .	163.83
Town of Loudon . . . . .	263.97
Town of Newbury . . . . .	178.45
Town of New London . . . . .	338.31
Town of Northfield . . . . .	630.79
Town of Pembroke . . . . .	2,193.20
Town of Pittsfield . . . . .	1,613.21
Town of Salisbury . . . . .	196.40
Town of Sutton . . . . .	643.95
Town of Warner . . . . .	623.74
Town of Webster . . . . .	84.48
Town of Wilmot . . . . .	343.14
O. A. Towne, aid to Almeda C. Kimball . . .	12.00
H. A. Tuttle & Co., clothing for Drew boy .	1.40
Eugene Sullivan & Co., medicine for Mrs. Patrick Coughlin, in 1896 . . . . .	2.20
Mrs. T. Young, nursing F. Nudd, in Andover .	5.00
J. A. Cochran, services . . . . .	50.00
L. R. Perreault, M. D., professional services, Franklin . . . . .	37.50
John H. Sanborn, M. D., professional services, Franklin . . . . .	37.50
T. M. Togus, M. D., professional services, Hooksett, to Feb. 1 . . . . .	125.00
W. H. Abbott, M. D., professional services, Bradford, 1896, 1897 . . . . .	17.15
E. E. Graves, M. D., professional services, children in Canterbury . . . . .	23.00

*March.*

Shepard Grocery Co., groceries for F. Nudd, in Andover . . . . .	\$8.79
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . . .	13.60
John E. Cole, board of George St. John . . . . .	18.50
Rufus M. Davis, clothing for Thos. Woodman . . . . .	11.55
Town of Andover, aid . . . . .	201.72
N. H. Asylum for Insane, board of insane . . . . .	394.59
Robert Thompson, M. D., professional services in Sutton, to Feb. 1 . . . . .	43.25
A. J. Thurston, aid and transportation . . . . .	46.79
S. W. Jones, M. D., medical services in Franklin . . . . .	3.00
M. L. Ludlow, board of Thomas Woodman . . . . .	15.18
McSwain Clough, livery in 1896 for T. H. Maxwell field . . . . .	7.50
L. R. Perreault, medicines used in Franklin . . . . .	20.25
Mrs. J. W. Beddow, care and board of O'Connor child . . . . .	15.75
H. A. Tuttle, clothing . . . . .	18.25

*April.*

H. F. Fontaine, professional services and medicine in Allenstown, to April, 1898 . . . . .	34.75
A. F. Sumner, M. D., professional services in Concord . . . . .	168.75
J. H. Sanborn, M. D., professional services in Franklin . . . . .	37.50
L. R. Perreault, M. D., professional services and medicine in Franklin . . . . .	52.75
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services and medicine in Penacook . . . . .	18.75
E. E. Hill, M. D., professional services and medicine in Pembroke . . . . .	75.05
A. H. French, M. D., professional services and medicine in Pittsfield, to April 1, 1898 . . . . .	90.00



Mrs. E. A. Hilliard, board of Annie Drew . . .	\$16.25
Fred A. Merrill, board of Lilla F. Abbott . . .	16.25
George A. L. Towle, board of Fred Langley . . .	12.00
T. W. Center, board and clothing for 3 Hall and 3 Langley children . . . . .	86.58
Mrs. A. L. Morse, board and clothing for Car- rie M. Waterfield . . . . .	20.25
Mrs. E. B. Young, board and clothing for Oscar Drew, Celia and Clara Langley . . . . .	50.10
Mrs. J. C. Wales, board of Mamie O'Donnell . .	16.55
Mrs. E. A. Sargent, board of David J. T. Drew . . . . .	16.25
Thos. Dee, partial support of Hannah S. Lee, at insane asylum . . . . .	23.47
Ada F. Adams, partial support of Moses Adams at insane asylum . . . . .	15.00
St. Joseph's Boys' Home, board of children . .	45.00
St. Patrick's Orphanage, board of children . .	60.00
State Industrial School, board of children . . .	156.00
N. H. Orphans' Home, board of children . . .	150.00
Notre Dame de Lourdes Hospital, board of chil- dren . . . . .	15.00
H. G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	15.65
Geo. A. Foster, cash paid for aid and transporta- tion . . . . .	7.21

*May.*

Mary A. Cotter, aid to John W. Cotter . . . .	26.00
Burton D. Hartford, board of Ellen Waterfield	18.00
John E. Cole, board of Geo. St. John . . . .	2.00
M. L. Ludlow, board of Thomas Woodman . .	15.00
Miss E. A. Fortier, dry goods for Nudd family .	8.84
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . . .	16.75
J. M. Rix, M. D., professional services and medi- cine in Warner . . . . .	100.00

Robert Thompson, M. D., professional services and medicine in Sutton . . . . .	\$43.00
J. F. Merrill, M. D., medical services for Mrs. Fred Nudd of Andover . . . . .	21.75
County of Grafton, care and burial of Nettie Stewart . . . . .	40.85

*June.*

W. J. Ahern, clothing for children . . . . .	23.70
James Duffy, shoes for Thomas Woodman . . . . .	1.50
Rufus M. Davis, clothing for Thomas Wood- man . . . . .	4.95
Fred Merrill, board of Lilla Abbott . . . . .	16.25
N. H. Asylum for Insane, board of insane . . . . .	293.89
A. J. Thurston, aid and transportation . . . . .	40.99
E. R. Morrison, groceries for Fred Nudd . . . . .	17.75
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . . .	11.15
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	21.75
J. C. French & Son, shoes for Hall children . . . . .	1.70
Concord Drug Store, medicine . . . . .	2.50
Miss G. M. Rea, hats for Langley children . . . . .	3.50

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*July.*

T. W. Center, clothing for children . . . . .	3.20
H. G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	11.07
N. H. Orphans' Home, board of children . . . . .	150.00
State Industrial School, board of children . . . . .	129.00
St. Patrick's Orphanage, board of children . . . . .	55.00
St. Joseph's Boys' Home, board of children . . . . .	45.00
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services and medicine in Boscawen . . . . .	28.75
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services and medicine in Penacook . . . . .	18.75
A. F. Sumner, M. D., professional services and medicine in Concord . . . . .	168.75

H. T. Fontaine, M. D., professional services and medicine in Allenstown . . . . .	\$34.75
W. H. Abbott, M. D., professional services and medicine in Allenstown . . . . .	141.90
E. E. Hill, M. D., professional services and medicine in Pembroke . . . . .	68.25
T. W. Center, board of three Hall and two Langley children . . . . .	81.25
Mrs. E. B. Young, board of Oscar Drew, Clara Langley, and Celia Langley . . . . .	52.95
Mrs. A. L. Morse, board and clothing of Carrie M. Waterfield . . . . .	25.23
Thomas Dee, aid to Hannah L. Lee at N. H. Insane Asylum . . . . .	34.04
Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital, board of Eable Smith . . . . .	12.00
Burton D. Hartford, board of Ellen Waterfield .	16.50
Geo. A. Foster, aid and transportation . . . . .	12.03
J. B. Tennant, aid and transportation . . . . .	3.21
Mrs. J. C. Wales, board and clothing for Mamie O'Donnell . . . . .	19.82
Mrs. E. A. Hilliard, board of Annie Drew . . . . .	16.25
Ada F. Adams, aid to Moses Adams at N. H. Asylum for Insane . . . . .	15.00
Hospital Notre Dame de Lourdes, board of Mary Campo . . . . .	15.00
J. E. Rand, aid of M. A. Robinson . . . . .	52.29
A. H. French, M. D., professional services in Pittsfield . . . . .	45.00
Jennie P. Lawrence, aid to Alice C. Burnham at N. H. Insane Asylum . . . . .	94.93
Mary A. Cotter, aid to John W. Cotter at N. H. Insane Asylum . . . . .	26.00
A. L. Towle, board of Ellen Waterfield . . . . .	7.00
Burton D. Hartford, board of Ellen D. Waterfield	7.00

*August.*

C. H. Dame, aid to J. R. Birch . . . .	\$2.00
Sullivan county, aid to Simon T. Drew . . .	57.45
Mrs. Delia Little, board of two Benoit children	8.00
J. D. Kirk, groceries for Fred Nudd family .	9.75
L. R. Perreault, M. D., professional services and medicine in Franklin . . . . .	56.70
Robert Thompson, M. D., professional services and medicine in Franklin . . . . .	43.00
F. A. Ross, clothing for Ben Sweatt . . . .	5.25
Mrs. E. A. Sargent, board of David J. T. Drew	16.25

*September.*

Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . . .	7.75
C. H. Fowler, medicine for A. Hamilton . . .	3.45
M. L. Ludlow, board of Thos. Woodman . . .	15.00
H. G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	10.33
J. D. Kirk, groceries for Fred Nudd . . . .	9.75
Hector Morin, shoes and rubbers for Fred Nudd family . . . . .	7.25
F. H. Gerry, dry goods for Fred Nudd family	5.00
J. E. Rand, aid to M. A. Robinson . . . . .	45.00
T. W. Center, board of three Hall and two Lang- ley children . . . . .	86.25
John P. Nutter, aid to Rosa Tappan . . . .	8.00
H. T. Fontaine, M. D., professional services in Allenstown . . . . .	33.00
Mrs. E. A. Hilliard, board of Annie Drew . .	16.25
Mrs. J. C. Wales, board of Mamie O'Donnell .	16.25
F. A. Merrill, board of Lilla F. Abbott . . .	16.25

*October.*

N. H. Orphans' Home, board of children . . .	168.00
St. Joseph's Boys' Home, board of children .	50.00



State Industrial School, board of children . . .	\$142.93
N. H. Asylum for Insane, board of insane . . .	299.90
Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital, board of Michael Sullivan . . . . .	35.18
Geo. A. L. Towle, board of Fred Langley . . .	13.00
Mrs. E. A. Sargent, board of David J. Drew . .	16.25
Mrs. A. L. Morse, board of Carrie M. Waterfield .	20.00
Hospital Notre Dame de Lourdes, board of Mary Campo . . . . .	15.00
Mrs. E. B. Young, board of Oscar Drew and Clara and Celia Langley . . . . .	49.20
Thomas Dee, aid to Hannah L. Lee at N. H. In- sane Asylum . . . . .	34.61
Ada F. Adams, aid to Moses Adams at N. H. In- sane Asylum . . . . .	15.00
Mary A. Cotter aid to John W. Cotter . . .	26.00
A. F. Sumner, M. D., services . . . . .	2.00
A. F. Sumner, M. D., professional services and medicine in Concord . . . . .	125.00
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services and medicine in Boscawen. . . . .	18.75
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services and medicine in Penacook . . . . .	18.75
E. E. Hill, M. D., professional services and medi- cine in Pembroke . . . . .	69.85
A. J. Thurston, aid and transportation . . .	43.34
Geo. A. Foster, aid and transportation . . .	31.52
H. G. Emmons, dry goods for children . . .	8.79
Edward McShane, repair of wagon . . . . .	9.65
H. F. Leavitt, clothing for Fred Langley . . .	5.10
Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital, board of James Bennett . . . . .	49.71
J. S. Hartford, board for Ellen Waterfield . .	13.94
St. Patrick's Orphanage, board of children . .	65.00

*November.*

Rufus M. Davis, clothing for Ludlow boy . . .	\$12.75
James Duffy, shoes . . . . .	2.00
Town of Milford, aid to Mrs. Mary Emery . .	104.80
Jennie P. Lawrence, aid to Alice C. Burnham at N. H. Insane Asylum . . . . .	26.00
M. L. Ludlow, board of Thos. Woodman . . .	15.00
Town of Peterborough, aid to Mrs. James Mad- den . . . . .	25.00
L. R. Perreault, M. D., professional services and medicine at Franklin . . . . .	58.75
C. L. Edgerly, services and expenses taking Mitchell child to Fort Wayne, Ind. . . . .	62.70

*December.*

Margaret Pillsbury Hospital, nurse for Mrs. Daniel Moses . . . . .	6.00
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . . .	15.50
Sullivan County, aid to Simon T. Drew . . .	73.40
J. B. Tennant, expenses, and R. R. tickets for Champagne family to St. Joseph, Can. . . .	53.44
A. J. Thurston, cash paid for aid and transporta- tion . . . . .	78.96
Mary A. Cotter, aid to John W. Cotter at N. H. Insane Asylum . . . . .	26.00
Mrs. E. B. Young, board and clothing for Oscar Drew, Celia and Clara Langley . . . . .	56.25
Margaret Pillsbury Hospital, board and nursing of Mrs. Mary Smith . . . . .	8.57
Fred. A. Merrill, board and clothing for Lilla F. Abbott . . . . .	17.25
Mrs. J. C. Wales, board and clothing for Mamie O'Donnell . . . . .	18.45
F. A. Ross, clothing for Sweatt and Bean boys .	19.50

Town of Milford, aid and burial expenses of	
Abbie E. Emery . . . . .	\$47.05
W. J. Ahern, clothing for children . . . . .	59.25
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes for children . . . . .	17.95
Geo. H. Parker, M. D., professional services for	
H. C. Spinney . . . . .	2.00
Robert Thompson, M. D., professional services	
and medicine in Sutton . . . . .	37.50
W. H. Mitchell, M. D., professional services in	
Loudon, to Jan. 1, '99 . . . . .	89.17
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services at	
Boscawen . . . . .	18.75
H. C. Holbrook, M. D., professional services at	
Penacook . . . . .	18.75
N. H. Orphans' Home, board of children . . . . .	154.25
State Industrial School, board of children . . . . .	136.50
St. Patrick's Orphanage, board of children . . . . .	105.00
St. Joseph's Boys' Home, board of children . . . . .	60.00
Hospital Notre Dame de Lourdes, board of Mary	
Campo . . . . .	15.00
Thomas Dee, board of Hannah L. Lee . . . . .	35.61
Mrs. E. A. Hilliard, board of Annie Drew . . . . .	16.25
Joseph G. Morrill, board of Mrs. M. A. Bradley . . . . .	73.50
Mrs. A. L. Morse, board and clothing for Carrie	
M. Waterfield . . . . .	21.50
George A. L. Towle, board and clothing for Fred	
Langley . . . . .	15.95
T. W. Center, board and clothing for two Lang-	
ley children . . . . .	36.17
N. W. McMurphy, M. D., professional services . . . . .	3.00
L. R. Perreault, M. D., professional services and	
medicine in Franklin to Jan. 1, 1899 . . . . .	58.80
Arthur F. Sumner, professional services and	
medicine in Concord . . . . .	125.00

H. T. Fountaine, M. D., professional services and medicine in Allenstown to January 1, 1899 . . . . .	\$35.90
E. E. Hill, M. D., professional services and medi- cine to January 1, 1899 . . . . .	70.25
Concord Drug Store, medicine . . . . .	1.30
Underhill & Kittredge, medicine . . . . .	12.05
George A. Foster, cash paid for oil and trans- portation . . . . .	50.56
Harry G. Emmons, dry goods . . . . .	3.89
N. H. Asylum for Insane, board of insane . . . . .	371.91
Ada F. Adams, partial support of Moses Adams at N. H. Asylum for Insane . . . . .	15.00
Jennie P. Lawrence, aid to Alice C. Burnham at N. H. Asylum for Insane . . . . .	26.00
E. A. Moulton, superintendent of cemeteries, burial of unknown man found in Soucook river . . . . .	3.00
W. A. Thompson, boots and shoes . . . . .	2.00
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	\$28,644.79

## INDIGENT SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

*February.*

Town of Allenstown . . . . .	\$490.26
Boscawen . . . . .	223.03
Bow . . . . .	128.13
Bradford . . . . .	13.00
Canterbury . . . . .	38.50
City of Concord . . . . .	1,501.13
Town of Danbury . . . . .	184.59
Dunbarton . . . . .	8.00
Epsom . . . . .	41.04
City of Franklin . . . . .	283.40
Town of Henniker . . . . .	1,243.65

Town of Hill . . . . .	\$161.96
Hooksett . . . . .	62.00
Hopkinton . . . . .	206.55
Loudon . . . . .	290.06
Newbury . . . . .	104.00
New London . . . . .	11.75
Northfield . . . . .	51.00
Pembroke . . . . .	58.13
Pittsfield . . . . .	719.47
Salisbury . . . . .	17.37
Warner . . . . .	163.09
Webster . . . . .	22.50
Wilmot . . . . .	106.91

*March.*

Town of Andover . . . . .	22.50
Harrison Durgin, rent for George A. Messer, in Andover . . . . .	24.00

*April.*

Fred A. Merrill, board of J. Austin Pinkham . . . . .	16.25
Melvina R. Chesley, board of Ada and Alma Pinkham . . . . .	32.50

*May.*

County of Rockingham, aid to J. R. Preston . . . . .	140.22
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*June.*

Fred Merrill, board of Austin Pinkham . . . . .	16.25
Melvina R. Chesley, board of Ada and Alma Pinkham . . . . .	32.50

*September.*

Melvina R. Chesley, board of Ada and Alma Pinkham . . . . .	32.50
F. A. Merrill, board of J. Austin Pinkham . . . . .	16.25



*December.*

Melvina R. Chesley, board of Ada B. and Alma F. Pinkham . . . . .	\$32.50
Fred A. Merrill, board of J. Austin Pinkham . . . . .	16.25
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	\$6,511.24

## JAIL.

*January.*

David E. Murphy, dry goods . . . . .	\$ 3.71
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	15.90
Rowell & Plummer, repairs . . . . .	1.05

*February.*

John Sims, cleaning vault . . . . .	5.00
Dr. E. A. Rowe, dentistry . . . . .	1.50

*April.*

Concord Water Works, water . . . . .	27.72
Frank G. Edgerly, board of prisoners and key fees . . . . .	619.46
Concord Light & Power Co. . . . .	35.25
A. F. Sumner, M. D., professional services . . . . .	18.75

*May.*

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	15.23
John Sims, cleaning vault . . . . .	5.00

*June.*

Danforth, Forrest & Morgan, lumber . . . . .	33.19
M. E. Clifford & Co., repairs . . . . .	7.62
Goodhue & Milton, repairs . . . . .	9.20
David E. Murphy, dry goods . . . . .	6.06
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., mattress . . . . .	3.00
Concord Coal Co., coal . . . . .	75.76

John G. McQuilken, clothing . . . . .	\$35.00
F. S. Berry, plan of sewer . . . . .	8.00
Concord Coal Co., coal . . . . .	114.55

*July.*

Morrill & Danforth, insurance . . . . .	25.00
Buxton & Sherburne, insurance . . . . .	12.50
Concord Coal Co., coal . . . . .	6.48
Lee Bros., new sewer and repairs on old sewer .	160.62
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . . . .	24.75
Stevens & Duncklee, tinware . . . . .	24.08
John Sims, cleaning and filling vault . . . . .	10.00
Concord Water Works, water . . . . .	36.84
A. F. Sumner, M. D., professional services .	18.75
Dr. Geo. A. Young, professional services . .	3.00
Frank G. Edgerly, board of prisoners and key fees . . . . .	415.66
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes . . . .	3.95
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	15.50

*August.*

Eastman & Merrill, insurance . . . . .	31.20
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*September.*

C. H. Martin & Co., paint . . . . .	1.40
H. O. Adams, clothing . . . . .	2.00

*October.*

Concord Coal Co., coal . . . . .	12.96
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . . . .	28.95
Humphrey-Dodge Co., hardware . . . . .	11.20
Concord Water Works, water . . . . .	42.36
Frank G. Edgerly, board of prisoners . . . .	414.48
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	15.00

*November.*

John G. McQuilken, clothing . . . . .	\$87.25
H. O. Marsh & Co., coal . . . . .	166.72

*December.*

M. E. Clifford & Co., repairs, plumbing . . . . .	24.61
Emery Lapierre, clothing . . . . .	9.45
Stevens & Duncklee, tinware . . . . .	9.48
Frank H. George, tinware . . . . .	2.20
C. W. Clarke & Son, boots and shoes . . . . .	4.00
Frank G. Egderly, board and key fees of prisoners . . . . .	431.48
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . . . .	47.85
Geo. Cook, M. D., professional services . . . . .	3.00
H. D. Hammond, blankets . . . . .	36.00
H. B. Cleasby, blankets . . . . .	12.00
Concord Water Works, water . . . . .	25.20
A. Perley Fitch, water-bug exterminator . . . . .	1.00
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	\$3,217.92

## COURT HOUSE AND COUNTY OFFICES.

*January.*

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	\$96.28
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*February.*

F. W. Scott & Co., repairs . . . . .	5.95
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*March.*

Concord Coal Co., coal . . . . .	64.80
John P. Nutter, cash paid for postage, etc. . . . .	23.62

*April.*

F. W. Scott & Co., repairs . . . . .	60.31
Concord Water Works . . . . .	20.00

Ira C. Evans, envelopes . . . . .	\$5.25
Silsby & Son, stationery . . . . .	33.42
Concord Light & Power Co. . . . .	1.80
Frank L. Sanders, books and stationery . . . . .	50.75
J. H. Ford, salary as janitor . . . . .	50.00
J. H. Ford, extra help and sundries . . . . .	8.24
Geo. A. Foster, cash paid for postage and office expenses . . . . .	34.58

*May.*

W. Carpenter, repairs . . . . .	6.20
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	85.97
J. M. Stewart & Sons Co., repairs . . . . .	14.00

*June.*

G. W. Smith, labor . . . . .	5.00
F. W. Scott & Co., repairs . . . . .	12.05
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	2.84
Concord Coal Co., coal . . . . .	12.96

*July.*

Geo. A. Foster, cash paid . . . . .	18.75
J. H. Ford, janitor . . . . .	50.00
Ira C. Evans, stationery . . . . .	5.00
Silsby & Son, stationery . . . . .	37.18
J. H. Ford, cash paid for sundries . . . . .	3.81
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . . . .	1.80
Stevens & Duncklee, repairs . . . . .	8.20
Buxton & Sherburne, insurance . . . . .	40.00
Morrill & Danforth, insurance . . . . .	80.00
Jackman & Lang, insurance . . . . .	100.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	76.89

*August.*

Frank L. Sanders, stationery . . . . .	2.70
Eastman & Merrill, insurance . . . . .	80.00

*September.*

Frank L. Sanders, blank book and stationery . . . . .	\$58.05
J. P. Nutter, cash paid for postage . . . . .	22.50

*October.*

Geo. A. Foster, paid for postage . . . . .	23.25
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . . . .	.90
Joseph H. Ford, janitor . . . . .	50.00
Joseph H. Ford, cash paid for sundries . . . . .	2.87
Concord Water Works, water . . . . .	20.00
Silsby & Son, stationery . . . . .	31.40
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	6.05
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone . . . . .	76.60
E. L. Ford, labor, cleaning . . . . .	11.20
F. H. Haynes, labor, cleaning . . . . .	9.60

*November.*

Henry Robinson, P. M., 1,000 stamped envelopes . . . . .	22.16
Jeff Veno, cleaning and putting on storm windows . . . . .	7.20

*December.*

Hiram O. Marsh, coal . . . . .	19.29
J. H. Ford, services as janitor . . . . .	50.00
Frank L. Sanders, blank books and stationery . . . . .	19.00
W. Carpenter, cutting glass . . . . .	2.75
Geo. A. Foster, cash paid for sundries . . . . .	24.35
Morrill Bros., rent of room for sealer of weights and measures . . . . .	75.00
Concord Light & Power Co., gas . . . . .	11.90
Sam'l N. Brown, cash paid Telegraph Pub. Co. . . . .	9.00
F. W. Scott & Co., repairs . . . . .	1.15
Silsby & Son, blanks and stationery . . . . .	49.49
Stevens & Duncklee, snow shovels and brooms . . . . .	4.30
Concord Ice Co., ice . . . . .	9.40

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\$1,715.76



## SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF COUNTY OFFICERS.

*February.*

Warren Abbott, salary as county treasurer . . .	\$225.00
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*March.*

Geo. M. Fletcher, salary as county solicitor to April 1, 1898 . . . . .	150.00
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*April.*

Frank G. Edgerly, salary as sheriff . . . . .	150.00
Warren Abbott, salary as county treasurer to April 1, 1898 . . . . .	75.00
Geo. A. Foster, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	247.63
A. J. Thurston, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	272.34
J. B. Walker, services as county auditor . . . . .	50.00
W. J. Ahern, services as county auditor . . . . .	50.00

*May.*

J. B. Tennant, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	221.39
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*July.*

Geo. M. Fletcher, salary as solicitor . . . . .	150.00
Frank G. Edgerly, salary as sheriff to July . . . . .	150.00
A. J. Thurston, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	278.29
J. B. Tennant, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	209.05
Geo. A. Foster, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	253.92

*October.*

Frank G. Edgerly, salary as sheriff . . . . .	\$150.00
Geo. M. Fletcher, salary as county solicitor . . . . .	150.00
J. B. Tennant, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	208.50
Geo. A. Foster, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	241.61
A. J. Thurston, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	281.17

*November.*

A. J. Thurston, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	126.98
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*December.*

J. B. Tennant, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	130.01
Geo. A. Foster, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	88.44
A. J. Thurston, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	270.69
J. B. Tennant, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	210.84
Geo. A. Foster, services and expenses as county commissioner . . . . .	231.70
Frank G. Edgerly, salary as sheriff to Jan. 1, 1899 . . . . .	150.00
Geo. M. Fletcher, salary as county solicitor to Jan. 1, 1899 . . . . .	150.00
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	\$4,872.56

## COURT.

*February.*

Pay-roll State v. Fred Powell . . . . .	\$6.82
“ “ Wm. Duchette . . . . .	15.26

*March.*

Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Jacob Chadwick	. . .	\$94.27
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*April.*

Pay-roll grand jurors, April term, 1898	. .	101.32
" petit      "      "      "	. .	624.00

*May.*

G. S. Locke, city marshal fines and costs for R.		
McConnell	. . . . .	23.25
J. H. Ford, services as messenger	. . .	60.00
Pay-roll petit jurors, April term, 1898	. .	586.48
" State <i>v.</i> Chas. H. Manning	. . .	25.13
"      " Willie Baker	. . .	15.37
"      " Wm. J. Mehegan	. . .	49.44
"      " Richard Lannon	. . .	24.44
"      " Edith Chase	. . .	14.37
"      " John Everett	. . .	17.37
"      " Timothy Gendron	. . .	25.32
"      " John Gienty	. . .	15.18
"      " W. F. Hazelton	. . .	12.05
"      "      "      "	. . .	3.01
" Harvey P. Sanborn	. . .	5.00
" State <i>v.</i> Frank Garland	. . .	10.92
Fred Sanville, witness fees in State <i>v.</i> Brasso	. .	8.07
Judkins & Wallace, rent of hall for use Supreme Court	. . . . .	3.00

*June.*

Geo. B. Cox, attorney Law and Order League of N. H., one half fines and costs in liquor, prosecution April term, 1898	. . .	762.70
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Carey	. . .	3.99
" petit jurors, April term, 1898	. .	319.56
John C. Hammond, jury fees, April term, 1898		2.84

H. E. Mills, additional jury fees, April term, 1898	\$2.96
J. H. Ford, services as court messenger . . .	25.00
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Wilbur Brasso . . . .	6.24

*July.*

Frank G. Edgerly, sheriff and deputies attending court . . . . .	468.00
A. J. Shurtleff, balance due him on his account as clerk of the Supreme Court . . . .	253.07
Silsby & Son, stationery . . . . .	37.41
Ira C. Evans, printing . . . . .	128.57
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Orrin Perkins . . . .	14.90
Pay-roll Rumford Printing Co. . . . .	5.00

*August.*

Ira C. Evans, printing dockets June law term '98	9.60
Emily Cozzens, services as stenographer April term, '98 . . . . .	33.75
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Wm. Henneberry . . . .	10.87
“ “ John McColgan . . . . .	40.03
“ “ Wm. O. Kane . . . . .	9.67
“ “ Lorenzo Ash . . . . .	18.55

*October.*

Josephine C. Larkin, services as stenographer October term, '98 . . . . .	64.75
Pay-roll grand jurors, October term, 1898 .	92.04
Pay-roll petit jurors, October term, 1898 . .	1,214.68

*November.*

A. J. Shurtleff, balance due him on settlement of his account as clerk of court . . . .	266.08
Pay-roll petit jurors, October term, 1898 . .	164.64
Second pay-roll petit jurors, October term, 1898	52.96

Harvey P. Sanborn . . . . .	\$5.00
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> George D. Barnes . . . . .	113.63
J. H. Ford, services as court messenger . . . . .	55.00
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> George D. Barnes . . . . .	2.30
“ “ Andrew Lonegan . . . . .	19.23

*December.*

J. H. Ford, services as court messenger . . . . .	32.50
Peter Connor, <sup>1</sup> one half fines in case State <i>v.</i> Louis Golinas . . . . .	50.00
Frank G. Edgerly, sheriff and deputies attend- ance at court . . . . .	559.90
W. G. C. Kimball, photographs of Chase . . . . .	3.00
Ira C. Evans, docket December law term, 1898 . . . . .	10.23
“ “ printing . . . . .	140.25
Judkins & Wallace, use of hall Nov. 16, 17, 18, '98 . . . . .	3.00
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Powell . . . . .	2.75
F. C. Colby, jury for October term, 1898 . . . . .	5.60
Josephine C. Larkin, services as stenographer, April 14, '98 . . . . .	8.72
Pay-roll State <i>v.</i> Jacob R. Bailey . . . . .	7.91
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	\$6,766.95

## NOTES PAID.

*October.*

Note No. 69 . . . . .	\$10,000.00
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*November.*

Note No. 68 . . . . .	5,000.00
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*December.*

Note No. 70 . . . . .	10,000.00
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	\$25,000.00



## BONDS PAID.

*October.*

Bond No. 282	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$1,000.00
Bond No. 283	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000.00
Bond No. 284	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000.00
Bond No. 285	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000.00
Bond No. 286	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000.00
Bond No. 287	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000.00
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## INTEREST.

*February.*

Coupons	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$40.00
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*March.*

Interest on note No. 68	.	.	.	.	.	.	139.03
Coupon	.	.	.	.	.	.	13.33

*April.*

Coupons	.	.	.	.	.	.	490.00
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*May.*

Interest on note No. 69	.	.	.	.	.	.	269.90
Coupons	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,500.00

*June.*

Interest on note No. 70	.	.	.	.	.	.	145.83
Coupons	.	.	.	.	.	.	60.00

*July.*

Coupons	.	.	.	.	.	.	100.00
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*September.*

Coupon	.	.	.	.	.	.	20.00
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*October.*

Coupons . . . . .	\$1,710.00
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*November.*

Coupons . . . . .	320.00
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*December.*

Coupons . . . . .	60.00
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\$4,868.09

## REFILING OF PAPERS AND REINDEXING.

*March.*

John P. Nutter, cash paid out . . . . .	\$130.00
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*May.*

Silsby & Son, 5,000 manilla envelopes . . . . .	24.35
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*June.*

John P. Nutter, cash paid out . . . . .	158.00
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*September.*

John P. Nutter, cash paid out . . . . .	83.00
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*October.*

Silsby & Son, cards . . . . .	13.20
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*December.*

Samuel N. Brown, work on index, register of deeds' office . . . . .	10.00
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\$418.55

## REFEREES' FEES.

*January.*

P. A. Clifford, services in case Sanborn v. Clough	\$27.62
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*March.*

G. M. Fletcher, case Lake v. Fellows	20.00
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*April.*

William H. Sawyer, case Engel v. Brown	15.00
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*May.*

George M. Fletcher, case Cummings v. Adams	10.00
John C. Bickford, case Foster v. Todd	5.00
F. S. Streeter, case Concord Coal Co. v. Comins & Tr.	10.00
D. B. Donovan, case Ford v. McKeone	45.00

*June.*

Thomas D. Luce	23.70
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*July.*

George W. Stone, case Babbitt v. Woodward	10.69
George W. Stone, case Hosmer v. Dolan	11.30
Ira Colby, case Pierce v. Bailey	30.00

*September.*

Allen Hollis, case Dow v. Gillis	5.00
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*November.*

Samuel C. Eastman	50.00
Isaac W. Smith	87.90

*December.*

Wm. H. Sawyer, case Carter (Smith) v. Crawford . . . . .	\$10.00
Wm. H. Drury, case Tallant v. Ring . . . . .	16.16
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	\$377.37

## MISCELLANEOUS.

*March.*

Town of Hooksett account, fines and costs . . . . .	\$80.00
Rumford Printing Co., printing county reports . . . . .	118.00

*June.*

W. A. Stone, copying . . . . .	20.00
Albert I. Foster, full settlement of claim for insurance 1893, 1894, 1895 . . . . .	325.00
Lucy H. Kimball, copying . . . . .	25.00

*September.*

A. W. Silsby, services as coroner . . . . .	1.50
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*December.*

Lucy H. Kimball, copying . . . . .	28.00
Geo. W. Ellis, witness at Moses inquest . . . . .	1.42
Daniel F. Moses, witness at Moses inquest . . . . .	1.42
Geo. H. Parker, M. D., juror at Moses inquest . . . . .	6.48
Thos. H. Madigan, juror at Moses inquest . . . . .	6.48
Harry R. Hood, juror at Moses inquest . . . . .	6.48
Arthur F. Sumner, M. D., autopsy, at Moses inquest . . . . .	25.00
N. W. McMurphy, M. D., autopsy at Moses inquest . . . . .	25.00

E. E. Hill, M. D., autopsy at Moses inquest . . . . .	\$6.00
Frank G. Edgerly, as sheriff and witness at Moses inquest . . . . .	7.16
Arthur W. Silsby, coroner at Moses inquest . . . . .	9.50
Josie C. Larkin, stenographer at Moses inquest . . . . .	16.32
N. A. Dunklee, livery at Moses inquest . . . . .	13.00
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	\$721.76

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## SUMMARY.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1898 . . . . .	\$29,340.38
County tax, 1897 . . . . .	761.33
County tax, 1898 . . . . .	89,546.61
Farm . . . . .	2,344.78
Money borrowed . . . . .	25,000.00
Miscellaneous . . . . .	1,701.55
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	\$148,694.65

### EXPENDITURES.

Farm . . . . .	\$25,629.64
Paupers off farm . . . . .	28,644.79
Indigent soldiers and sailors . . . . .	6,511.24
Jail . . . . .	3,217.92
Court house and county offices . . . . .	1,715.76
Salaries and expenses of county officers . . . . .	4,872.56
Court . . . . .	6,766.95
Notes paid . . . . .	25,000.00
Bonds paid . . . . .	6,000.00
Interest paid . . . . .	4,868.09
Refiling papers and reindexing . . . . .	418.55



Referees' fees . . . . .	\$377.37
Miscellaneous . . . . .	721.76
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	\$114,744.63
Total receipts . . . . .	148,694.65
Total expenditures . . . . .	114,744.63
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Balance in hands of treasurer . . . . .	\$33,950.02

## STANDING OF COUNTY, JANUARY 1, 1898.

### LIABILITIES.

#### *County Bonds, Issued October 1, 1889.*

Payable October 1, 1899 . . . . .	\$5,000.00
Payable October 1, 1900 . . . . .	5,000.00
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	\$10,000.00

#### *County Bonds, Issued June 15, 1891.*

Payable October 1, 1901 . . . . .	6,000.00
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#### *County Bonds, Issued June 1, 1897.*

Payable October 1, 1902 . . . . .	5,000.00
“ “ 1903 . . . . .	5,000.00
“ “ 1904 . . . . .	5,000.00
“ “ 1905 . . . . .	5,000.00
“ “ 1906 . . . . .	5,000.00
“ “ 1907 . . . . .	6,000.00
“ “ 1908 . . . . .	6,000.00
“ “ 1909 . . . . .	6,000.00
“ “ 1910 . . . . .	6,000.00
“ “ 1911 . . . . .	6,000.00
“ “ 1912 . . . . .	6,000.00

Payable October 1, 1913	.	.	.	.	\$6,000.00
“ “ 1914	.	.	.	.	6,000.00
“ “ 1915	.	.	.	.	6,000.00
“ “ 1916	.	.	.	.	6,000.00
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					\$85,000.00

Total outstanding bonds	.	.	.	101,000.00
Cash in hands of treasurer, January 1, 1899				33,950.02

Respectfully submitted, .

WARREN ABBOTT,  
*County Treasurer.*

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CONCORD, N. H., January 30, 1899.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of Warren Abbott, county treasurer, and find them correctly cast and duly vouched.

J. B. TENNANT,  
GEORGE A. FOSTER,  
A. J. THURSTON,  
*County Commissioners.*

## AUDITORS' REPORTS.

*To the Supreme Court of the State of New Hampshire :*

The auditors of the county of Merrimack respectfully report that, after careful examination, they find :

First. That the receipts of the treasurer, for the quarter ending March 31, 1898, together with cash on hand at the beginning of this quarter, have been . . . \$35,660.83  
and that his expenditures during that period  
have been . . . . . 32,090.15

leaving in his hands a balance of . . . . . \$3,570.68

and that his expenditures are supported by  
satisfactory vouchers, and his accounts  
accurately cast.

Second. That they have examined the account of the county commissioners for the aforesaid period, and find the same correctly cast, and that their expenditures, amounting to . . . . . \$36,979.14  
are supported by satisfactory vouchers, and  
that the goods purchased by them, have,  
so far as practicable, been bought at  
wholesale prices.

Third. That they have examined the account of the superintendent of the county farm, Charles H. Hilton, during the aforesaid quarter, and find his receipts to have been . . . . . \$528.12  
and his payments into the county treasury 528.12

We append to this report the estimate of the county commissioners of the amount of bills outstanding against the county, at the beginning of the present quarter.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. WALKER,

W. J. AHERN,

*Auditors.*

Concord, N. H., May 9, 1898.

We hereby certify that the floating indebtedness of the county on April 1, 1898, according to our best knowledge, is about five hundred dollars (\$500 00) aside from notes, amounts due the cities and towns for aid to paupers off farm, and dependent soldiers and sailors, and an unsettled claim for insurance in 1893 and 1894.

J. B. TENNANT,  
GEORGE A. FOSTER,  
A. J. THURSTON,

*Commissioners.*

Concord, N. H., April 20, 1898.

MERRIMACK SS., May 4, 1898.

Personally appeared before me the above-named, J. B. Tennant, George A. Foster, and A. J. Thurston, and made oath that the above certificate is true.

WILLIAM A. FOSTER,

*Justice of the Peace.*

*To the Supreme Court of the State of New Hampshire :*

The auditors of the county of Merrimack respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the treasurer, the county commissioners, and the superintendent of the county farm for the quarter ending June 30, 1898, and find that :

The receipts of the treasurer, including cash (\$3,570.68) on hand at the beginning of the quarter, have been \$25,-881.78, and his expenditures \$16,893.88 ; leaving a balance of cash on hand of \$9,007.90.

The payments made by the county commissioners, by their orders upon the treasurer, have been \$11,111.47.

The cash received by the superintendent of the county farm has been \$656.55, all of which he has paid to the county treasurer.

All of the aforesaid accounts have been correctly cast and properly vouched.

The auditors herewith communicate the county commissioners' estimate of the outstanding claims against the county. Respectfully submitted,

J. B. WALKER,

W. J. AHERN,

*Auditors.*

Concord, N. H., August 2, 1898.

We hereby certify that the floating indebtedness of the county to July 1, 1898, to the best of our knowledge, is not over \$500 aside from the amount due the cities and towns for the support of paupers off farm, and dependent soldiers and sailors and their families since February 1, 1898, and the sheriff's bill for court expenses for the April term, and board of prisoners at the jail for the last quarter, the amount of which is unknown to us.

J. B. TENNANT,

GEORGE A. FOSTER,

A. J. THURSTON,

*Commissioners.*

Concord, N. H., July 20, 1898.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.—MERRIMACK SS., July 27, 1898.

Subscribed and sworn to, before me.

ALLEN HOLLIS,

*Justice of the Peace.*

*To the Supreme Court of the County of Merrimack:*

The auditors of the county of Merrimack respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the treasurer and commissioners of said county and of the superintendent of the county farm and find them properly cast and satisfactory vouchers for all expenditures, for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1898.

The receipts of the treasurer, including cash on hand July 1, 1898 (\$9,007.90), have been . . .

\$25,531.73



His payments during the period were	\$11,591.50	
and his cash on hand at close of		
business, Sept. 30, 1898, was	13,940.23	\$25,531.73

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The expenditures of the commission-		
ers during the period have been		\$10,399.36
while the receipts by the superin-		
tendent of the county farm have		
been		487.67

which sum he has paid to the county treasurer.

We herewith transmit a statement by the commissioners of the amount of outstanding bills against the county at the close of the aforesaid quarter and a classified statement of above-mentioned payments by the treasurer. We believe that all purchases, so far as practicable, have been made at wholesale prices and the articles purchased used for the benefit of the county.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. WALKER,

W. J. AHERN,

*Auditors.*

Concord, N. H., Oct. 24, 1898.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 12, 1898.

We hereby certify that the floating indebtedness of the county to Oct. 1, 1898, to the best of our knowledge and belief, does not exceed five hundred dollars aside from the amounts due the cities and towns for the support of paupers off the farm and dependent soldiers and sailors and their families.

J. B. TENNANT,

GEORGE A. FOSTER,

A. J. THURSTON,

*Commissioners.*

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.—MERRIMACK SS.

Then personally appeared the above-named, J. B. Tennant, George A. Foster, and A. J. Thurston, and made

oath that the above statement was true to their best knowledge and belief.

JONATHAN B. WEEKS,  
*Justice of the Peace.*

Concord, N. H., Oct. 27, 1898.

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EXPENDITURES BY THE TREASURER FROM  
JULY 1, TO SEPT. 30, 1898, INCLUSIVE.

Farm expenses . . . . .	\$5,960.07
Paupers off farm . . . . .	1,873.85
Court . . . . .	1,029.42
Referees . . . . .	56.99
Interest . . . . .	120.00
Jail . . . . .	791.78
Court house and county offices . . . . .	584.88
Salaries and expenses . . . . .	1,041.26
Miscellaneous bills . . . . .	\$1.50
Indigent soldiers and sailors . . . . .	48.75
Refiling and reindexing . . . . .	83.00
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	\$11,591.50

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*To the Supreme Court of the State of New Hampshire :*

The auditors of accounts of the county of Merrimack respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the treasurer of said county for the quarter ending December 31, 1898, and find the same correctly cast and the expenditures satisfactorily vouched, that the balance on hand at the close of the quarter was thirty-three thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars and two cents, (\$33,950.02) and that the expenditures were for :

Farm expenses . . . . .	\$9,756.07
Paupers off farm . . . . .	3,768.60
Court . . . . .	2,874.17
Referees' fees . . . . .	164.06
Notes paid . . . . .	25,000.00
Bonds paid . . . . .	6,000.00
Interest . . . . .	2,090.00
Jail . . . . .	1,385.19
Court house and county offices . . . . .	536.86
Salaries and expenses . . . . .	2,389.94
Miscellaneous bills . . . . .	152.26
Indigent soldiers and sailors . . . . .	48.75
Refiling and reindexing . . . . .	23.20
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	\$54,189.10

That they have also examined the accounts of the expenditures of the commissioners for the same period, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and that they amount to eleven thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-eight cents, (\$11,950.28) and that they examined the account of the receipts of the superintendent of the county farm and find the same to have been six hundred and seventy-two dollars and forty-four cents, (\$672.44) and that he has paid said sum to the treasurer of the county and has his receipt therefor. They also submit for your examination the estimated amount of the floating indebtedness of the county on the first day of January, 1899.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. WALKER,

W. J. AHERN,

*Auditors.*

January 30, 1899.

CONCORD, N. H., January 24, 1898.

We hereby certify that the floating indebtedness of the county to January 1, 1899, to the best of our knowledge and belief, does not exceed one thousand dollars, aside from the amounts due the cities and towns for the support of paupers off the farm and dependent soldiers and sailors and their families.

J. B. TENNANT,  
GEORGE A. FOSTER,  
A. J. THURSTON,

*Commissioners of Merrimack County.*

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.—MERRIMACK SS.

Then personally appeared the above-named, J. B. Tennant, George A. Foster and A. J. Thurston, and made oath that the above statement was true to the best of their knowledge and belief.

J. F. SMITH,  
*Justice of the Peace.*

Concord, N. H., January 25, 1899.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

MERRIMACK COUNTY ALMSHOUSE, AND HOUSE OF COR-  
RECTION.

NORTH BOSCAWEN, N. H., December 31, 1898.

*To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Merrimack  
County :*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit to you my report of  
the Merrimack county alms-house, and house of correction,  
for the year ending December 31, 1898 :



# INMATES OF MERRIMACK COUNTY ALMSHOUSE.

NAME.	Age.	Birthplace.	Date of admission.	Where from.	Date of discharge or death.	Time supported.
Anderson, Peter.....	41	Sweden.	April, 1894	Concord.		W. 3
Andrews, John.....	42	Norway.	Nov., 1897	Hooksett.		D. 1
Archibald, Olive.....	62	New York.	Mar., 1892	Concord.	Dis. Jan., 1898.	1
Arln, Lovina.....	65	Northfield.	Jan., 1890	Concord.		52 1
Atkins, Edward.....	38	Newfoundland.	July, 1898	Franklin.		52 1
Avery, Susan.....	51	Sutton.	Jan., 1893	New London.	Dis. August, 1898.	3
Babeneau, Noel.....	26	Canada.	Dec., 1898	Franklin.	Died Dec., 1898.	50 2
Babeneau, Clara.....	24	Canada.	Dec., 1898	Franklin.	Dis. Dec., 1898.	1
Babeneau, Gladys.....	5	Franklin.	Dec., 1898	Franklin.		2 5
Babeneau, Sidney.....	4	Franklin.	Dec., 1898	Franklin.		2 5
Babenenu, Elmer.....	15 mo.	Canada.	Dec., 1898	Franklin.		5
Baldwin, Ella.....	42	Concord.	May, 1898	Barnstead.		34
Bartlett, Charles.....	69	Warner.	May, 1898	Hopkinton.		35
Bennett, Amos.....	69	Canterbury.	August, 1894	Canterbury.		52 1
Bennett, Charles.....	37	Canterbury.	June, 1879	Wilmot.		1 1
Bennett, Eliza.....	71	Canterbury.	July, 1876	Loudon.		52 1
Bennett, James.....	32	New York.	Oct., 1898	Concord.		12 3
Benoit, Olive.....	37	Canada.	May, 1898	Concord.		20
Benoit, Nellie.....	5	Concord.	May, 1898	Concord.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	15
Birchell, Willie.....	3	Concord.	May, 1898	Concord.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	15 4
Birdell, Thomas.....	24	Massachusetts.	May, 1894	Concord.	Dis. May, 1898.	1 4
Bodreau, Samuel.....	8	Concord.	April, 1898	Concord.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	19
Boucher, Peter.....	28	Canada.	August, 1897	Pembroke.	Dis. Nov., 1898.	45
Boutwell, William.....	66	Charlestown.	Oct., 1873	Concord.		52 1
Boyden, Wyatt.....	62	Webster.	Oct., 1873	Webster.		52 1
Bradford, Alex.....	64	Maine.	May, 1898	Meredith.	Dis. August, 1898.	13



## INMATES OF MERRIMACK COUNTY ALMSHOUSE.—Continued.

NAME.	Age.	Birthplace.	Date of admission.	Where from.	Date of discharge or death.	Time supported.
Conoran, James.....	63	Ireland.	Sept., 1893	Concord.		52 1
Crowley, Julia.....	68		May, 1897	Concord.		52 1
Crowley, Annie.....	25	Concord.	Sept., 1898	Concord.	Dis. Dec., 1898.	12
Crowley, Harold.....		M. C. Farm.	Oct., 1898		Dis. Dec., 1898.	8 5
Currier, John.....	61	Danbury.	April, 1895	Danbury.		52 1
Danielis, Ann.....	77	Sanbornton.	May, 1898	Franklin.		31
Day, Clara.....	47	Meredith.	April, 1898	Franklin.		37 4
Day, John.....	68	England.	April, 1898	Franklin.		8 5
Dearborn, Mary.....	83	Canterbury.	August, 1896	London.	Dis. June, 1898.	52 1
Dickham, F. S.....	33	Massachusetts.	Dec., 1897	Franklin.	Dis. Jan., 1898.	52 1
Dorsey, Patrick.....	41	Ireland.	Feb., 1897	Concord.		52 1
Driscoll, Daniel.....	49	Concord.	Nov., 1898	Concord.		7 3
Duffy, Margaret.....	78	Ireland.	June, 1897	Concord.		52 1
Dupont, Hazel.....	7	Meredith.	July, 1898	Franklin.		19
Durant, Dolphine.....	36	Canada.	Feb., 1893	Concord.	Dis. Nov., 1898.	52 1
Edmunds, Ida.....	23	Pittsfield.	Nov., 1896	Concord.		52 1
Edmunds, Lizzie.....	29	Dover.	July, 1898	Pembroke.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	8 2
Edmunds, Lizzie.....	8 mo.	Pembroke.	July, 1898	Pembroke.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	8 2
Faulkner, Joseph.....	64	Massachusetts.	Nov., 1891	Canterbury.		52 1
Fisher, George.....	49		Jan., 1873	Concord.		52 1
Fisk, Edward.....	68	London.	May, 1876	Concord.	Died Nov., 1898.	47
Fletcher, Christianna.....	58		Dec., 1891	London.		52 1
Foster, Myra.....	82	Franklin.	Dec., 1894	Franklin.		14
French, John.....	56	Concord.	Feb., 1897	Concord.		49 3
Gendron, Joseph.....	70	Canada.	Oct., 1898	Concord.	Died Dec., 1898.	52 1
George, Frank.....	46	Webster.	August, 1896	Franklin.		



## INMATES OF MERRIMACK COUNTY ALMSHOUSE—Continued.

NAME.	Age.	Birthplace.	Date of admission.	Where from.	Date of discharge or death.	Time supported.
Lamson, David.....	32	Concord.	Jan., 1898	Concord.	Dis. March, 1898.	W. 8 D. 3
Libbey, John.....	37	Maine.	March, 1898	Concord.	Dis. March, 1898.	2 4
Little, Saloma.....	38	Sutton.	Sept., 1886	Sutton.		52 1
Livingston, Frank.....	64	Henniker.	Dec., 1875	Henniker.		52 1
Longley, Fred.....	14	Rumney.	Sept., 1897	Franklin.	Dis. Jan., 1898.	1
Lovering, John.....	70	Grafton.	Jan., 1896	Concord.		52 1
Lovering, John.....	31	Concord.	Feb., 1898	Hopkinton.	Dis. Nov., 1898.	7 4
Lyman, Mary.....	78		June, 1898	Hopkinton.		4 4
Lynch, Lizzie.....	35	England.	July, 1898	Pembroke.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	7 1
Lynch, Annie.....	3	Pembroke.	July, 1893	Pembroke.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	7 1
Lynch, Daniel.....	1	Pembroke.	July, 1898	Pembroke.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	7 1
Maguire, Philip.....	79	Ireland.	June, 1897	Hooksett.		52 1
Marston, Sarah.....	95	Portsmouth.	Jan., 1868	Franklin.		52 1
Marthien, Jacques.....	57	France.	Sept., 1887	Pittsfield.		52 1
Mason, Henry.....	73		Sept., 1897	Wilmot.	Dis. March, 1898.	12 3
McCoy, Ezra.....	26	Ohio.	Oct., 1897	Bow.		52 1
McCoy, James.....	76	Ireland.	Sept., 1898	Northfield.	Dis. Oct., 1898.	8
McGinniss John.....	23	Concord.	Dec., 1898	Pembroke.		52 1
McMichael, Edward.....	81	Ireland.	Nov., 1897	Concord.	Dis. Dec., 1898.	3 1
Mebagan, Mary.....	59	Bow.	Aug., 1877	Franklin.	Dis. July, 1898.	29
Mills, Sarah.....	1		June, 1897	Dunbarton.		52 1
Mitchell, Mary.....	34	Pittsfield.	Aug., 1888	Concord.	Dis. Nov., 1898.	46 2
Moody, Cora.....	39		Feb., 1892	Concord.		52 1
Moore, Nellie.....	50	Ireland.	Sept., 1897	Allenstown.		52 1
Mulley, Michael.....	37	Canada.	Sept., 1898	Concord.	Dis. May, 1898.	7 1
Murphy, James.....						17



Murphy, Thomas.....	55	Concord.	Dec.,	1898	Concord.	1
Nelson, John.....	42	Grantham.	Nov.,	1897	Salisbury.	4
Nutting, Kate.....	53	Hill.	March,	1898	Franklin.	4
O'Donnell, Mary.....	44	Penn.	Nov.,	1893	Pembroke.	52
Ordway, Hattie.....	41	Michigan.	May,	1885	Warner.	1
Osgood, Charles.....	78	Warner.	March,	1895	Warner.	52
Page, Wm.....	65	Bradford.		1875	Bradford.	1
Parkinson, Eliza.....	33		Dec.,	1882	Concord.	1
Patterson, Jane.....	45	Scotland.	June,	1879	Franklin.	52
Peaslee, George.....	31	Andover.	Dec.,	1882	Andover.	1
Pickard, Susan.....	78	Canterbury.	Oct.,	1895	Concord.	52
Porter, Wm.....	45	Warner.	Oct.,	1891	Warner.	4
Powers, Daniel.....	43	Orford.	April,	1898	Boscawen.	5
Putnam, Emma.....	34	Mass.	Oct.,	1897	Concord.	4
Quimby, Mary.....	52	Groton.	March,	1898	Concord.	2
Ralph, Patrick.....	52	Ireland.	Jan.,	1892	Franklin.	1
Reynolds, Charles.....	71	Pittsfield.	Nov.,	1892	Franklin.	1
Riello, Euzebe.....	78	Canada.	Oct.,	1883	Boscawen.	1
Robinson, Andrew.....	29	Canterbury.	Sept.,	1897	Concord.	20
Roby, Frank.....	73	Sutton.	Dec.,	1888	Sutton.	52
Saunborn, Charles.....	66	Concord.	Nov.,	1898	Concord.	7
Shaw, Melissa.....		Sanbornton.	May,	1892	Northfield.	1
Sheldon, Fred.....		New York.	Nov.,	1897	Concord.	4
Sheldon, Annie.....		Ireland.	Nov.,	1897	Concord.	27
Sheldon, Dewey.....		M. C. Farm.	May,	1898	Concord.	4
Shepard, George.....	20	Andover.	Feb.,	1896	Franklin.	9
Simonds, George.....	35	Boscawen.	July,	1891	Franklin.	52
Simonds, John.....	42	Hanover.	March,	1898	Boscawen.	1
Sincere, Napoleon.....	41	Canada.	Nov.,	1897	Franklin.	2
Smart, Benjamin.....	68	Concord.	Feb.,	1897	Concord.	1
Smith, Moses.....	85	Hill.	Sept.,	1890	Concord.	1
Smith, Jennie.....	40	Vermont.	Nov.,	1898	Franklin.	3
Smith, Joseph.....	42		Nov.,	1898	Franklin.	5
Smith, Susan.....	75	Danbury.	April,	1898	Danbury.	4

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INMATES OF MERRIMACK COUNTY ALMSHOUSE.—*Continued.*

NAME.	Age.	Birthplace.	Date of admission.	Where from.	Date of discharge or death.	Time supported.
Solon, William.....	38	Hooksett	July, 1892	Hooksett.		W. 52 D. 1
Southmayde, John.....	50	Campton.	July, 1895	Concord.		52 1
Stevens, Blanche.....	15		Dec., 1894	Concord.		52 1
Stevens, George.....	21	Hopkinton.	Jan., 1898	Hopkinton.		48 1
Stetson, Bradford.....	41	Concord.	June, 1898	Concord.		26 4
St. John, George.....	66	Massachusetts.	Feb., 1898	Concord.	Dis. Mar., 1898.	4 1
Streeter, Sally.....	85	Allenstown.	Oct., 1892	Bow.		52 1
Sullivan, Michael.....	51	Ireland.	Jan., 1896	Concord.		29 1
Sullivan, Jerry.....	67	Ireland.	March, 1875	Concord.		52 1
Sullivan, Daniel.....	35	Wales.	Dec., 1898	Concord.		52 4
Sweet, Abbie.....	67	Newport.	Oct., 1897	Bradford.	Dis. April, 1898.	16 5
Sweeney, Henry.....	54	Scotland.	Dec., 1898	Concord.		3 5
Taylor, Mark.....	83	Canada.	Sept., 1897	Franklin.		52 1
Taylor, Zoe.....	85	Canada.	Feb., 1898	Franklin.		44 5
Tierney, Bridget.....	48	Ireland.	Feb., 1897	Concord.		52 1
Toomey, Julia.....	61	Ireland.	June, 1879	Concord.		52 1
Towle, Laura.....	44	New London.	Mar., 1897	Pittsfield.		52 1
Wadleigh, Mary.....	61	Sutton.	Sept., 1891	Sutton.		52 1
Walker, George.....	30	Gilmanton.	Mar., 1898	Andover.	Dis. March, 1898.	4 1
Waterman, Thomas.....	81	Nova Scotia.	Feb., 1893			52 1
Wells, Eliza.....	49		Feb., 1882	Concord.		52 1
Whitcomb, Betsy.....	82		Oct., 1897	Northfield.		52 1
Whitman, Mary.....	75	Henniker.	Oct., 1888	Henniker.		52 1
Wilde, Charles.....	53	Indiana.	Jan., 1897	Canterbury.	Dis. July, 1898.	6 1
Wilkinson, Henry.....	53	England.	May, 1888	Pembroke.		30 5
Wiser, George.....	38	Concord.	Feb., 1897	Concord.	Dis. March, 1898.	12 3

Young, Paul..... 55 Canada. Jan., 1898. Franklin. Dis. May, 1898. 14 2

## DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Aldrich, Sewall.....	72	Canada.	Oct.,	1897	Concord.	Dis. April, 1898.	15	3
Dearborn, Alfred .....	84	Portsmouth.	August,	1892	Loudon.		52	1
Defoe, Charles.....	68	Canada.	Nov.,	1894	Concord.		52	1
Hale, George.....	55	Mass.	Oct.,	1896	Wilmot.		52	1
Ryan, John.....	58	New York.	Nov.,	1897	Concord.	Dis. June, 1898.	24	2
Riley, Thomas.....	58	Mass.	Jan.,	1898	Pembroke.	Dis. March, 1898.	7	
Thorne, James.....	51	Franklin.	Feb.,	1898	Franklin.	Died Nov., 1898.	34	
Ward, Henry.....	62	Bristol.	Dec.,	1897	Concord.	Dis. Oct., 1898.	42	3
Wheeler, Ezra.....	63	Dunbarton.	Sept.,	1897	Dunbarton.	Dis. March, 1898.	10	3

## BOARDERS.

Blackstone, Mary.....	83	Ireland.	May,	1895	Concord.		52	1
Drake, Mary.....	59	Pittsfield.	March,	1891	Manchester.		52	1
Dutton, Susie.....	35	Maine.	July,	1892	Epsom.		52	1
French, Asa P.....	60	Plymouth.	Nov.,	1898	Franklin.		7	1
Hall, George.....	70	Chester.	June,	1898	Chichester.		27	
Hackett, Patrick.....	66	Ireland.	Sept.,	1898	Concord.		15	
Leavitt, Mary.....	55	Maine.	March,	1896	Pittsfield.		52	1
Sanborn, Shuah.....	65	Gilmanton.	July,	1895	Epsom.		52	1
Townsend, John.....	60	England.	Nov.,	1896	Concord.	Dis. Sept., 1898.	38	3
Tucker, Freeman.....	30	Salisbury.	August,	1895	Salisbury.	Died Oct., 1898.	39	4
Walker, Martha.....	59	Bow.	July,	1882	Bow.		52	1
Whidden, George.....	53	Northfield.	Nov.,	1898	Concord.		7	1

Number of inmates, dependent soldiers, and board- ers in almshouse, January 1, 1898 . . . .	143
Number admitted during the year 1898 . . . .	81
Number of births during the year 1898 . . . .	4

Whole number of different persons supported	228
Number discharged during the year . . . .	73
Number died during the year . . . .	16

Total . . . . .	89
Number of inmates, dependent soldiers, and board- ers in almshouse, December 31, 1898 . . . .	139

Of these, there were during the year:

Insane and partially insane . . . . .	52
Idiots and tending to idiocy . . . . .	29
Epileptics . . . . .	7

Ages of those supported during the year so far as known:

Under 1 year . . . . .	8
Between 1 and 3 years . . . . .	5
3 and 10 years . . . . .	6
10 and 15 years . . . . .	2
15 and 20 years . . . . .	3
20 and 30 years . . . . .	19
30 and 60 years . . . . .	99
60 and 80 years . . . . .	65
Over 80 years . . . . .	15
Ages unknown . . . . .	6

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Civil Condition.		Color.		Sex.	
Single,	119	White,	224	Males,	136
Married,	50	Black,	4	Females,	92
Widowers,	38				
Widows,	21		228		228
	228				

Of this number, their birthplaces, so far as known, are as follows:

Born in United States . . . . .	144
Canada . . . . .	21
Ireland . . . . .	20
England . . . . .	8
Scotland . . . . .	5
Sweden . . . . .	3
Nova Scotia . . . . .	2
Prince Edward's Island . . . . .	2
Newfoundland . . . . .	1
Norway . . . . .	1
France . . . . .	1
Wales . . . . .	1
Birthplace unknown . . . . .	19

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Of these, 117 were born in New Hampshire.

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PRISONERS AT HOUSE OF CORRECTION DURING THE YEAR  
1898.

Names.	Com- plaints.	Sent from.	Offense.	Time served.	
				W	D.
Abbott, Walter		Concord	drunk	16	2
Aldrich, Sewall	2	"	"	36	2
Bazro, Walter		"	"	2	2
Bresnahan, Dennis		"	"	4	1
Burke, Thomas	2	"	"	43	4
Berry, Frank		Pittsfield	common drunk	21	4
Butcher, Edward		"	assault	9	3
Brigham, James		Franklin	drunk	3	4
Bottomly, John	2	Concord	"	9	5
Bowen, John		"	"	4	1
Britton, Michael		"	"	4	1
Brown, John		"	"	4	1
Burns, John		"	larceny	4	1
Baker, Willie		"	drunk	12	6
Bennett, James		"	"	4	1



Names.	Com- plaints.	Sent from.	Offense.	Time served.	
				W.	D.
Blodgett, Fred		Concord	drunk	3	5
Barron, George		"	"	4	1
Bradford, Alex		Allenstown	"	4	6
Burke, Daniel		Concord	"	4	1
Bouchy, El		"	"	4	1
Bruce, Charles		"	"	4	1
Burns, John	2	"	"	11	3
Bushman, Mary		"	"	4	1
Bennett, John		"	"	4	1
Burchill, Thomas		"	"	4	1
Bodell, Frank		"	"	7	2
Bassett, George		"	"	4	1
Curley, Charles		"	"	5	5
Campbell, Felix		"	"	4	1
Clark, Thomas		Boscawen	"	6	5
Christie, Trott		Concord	"	4	1
Cashin, Martin	2	"	drunk and disturbance	49	6
Carlson, Joshua		"	"		3
Campbell, Philip		"	"		3
Cantwell, John		"	"	4	2
Clark, Wm	2	"	"	19	5
Clancy, John		Franklin	"	7	
Casey, John		Concord	"	3	4
Carney, John		"	"	4	1
Connelly, Thomas	2	"	"	6	5
Church, Almon		"	"	4	1
Carroll, Edward		Franklin	"	5	
Chambers, Wm.	2	Concord	"	10	2
Coleman, Henry		"	"	4	1
Crowell, Charles	2	"	"	26	5
Curran, Frank		"	"	3	5
Connors, John	2	"	"	8	2
Coffey, Eugene		"	"	4	1
Campbell, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Close, Alexander		"	"	9	6
Coughlin, Patrick		"	disturbing peace	2	3
Caldar, Joseph		"	drunk	4	1
Cuniffe, Edward		"	"	4	1
Cummings, Edward		"	"	2	4
Dupre, John		"	"	2	3
Dickey, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Davis, Frank	2	"	"	8	2
Davis, Frank		"	"	4	1
Dugan, James		"	exposure of person	4	1

Names.	Com- plaints.	Sent from.	Offense.	Time served	
				W.	D.
Donovan, John		Concord	drunk	4	1
Dearborn, Charles		"	"		6
Dowd, James		"	"	4	1
Dalton, James		"	"	7	1
Dunn, Philip		"	"	3	1
Duffy, Patrick		"	"	3	1
Danforth, Oliver		"	"		5
Evans, Henry		Franklin	"	5	5
Egen, John		Concord	"	4	
Foley, John	2	"	drunk and disturbance	7	3
Florence, John		"	"	3	6
Ford, John		"	"	4	1
Fagan, Edward		"	"	7	
Fitzgerald, John		"	"	4	1
Goodness, Napoleon	3	Pembroke and Concord	idle person and drunk	50	
Greenleaf, George	2	Concord	"	15	5
Goodwin, Edwin	3	"	"	19	
Goodrich, Bert		"	idle and disorderly	4	1
Glines, George		Franklin	fraud	5	1
Greenleaf, Wm.	3	Concord	larceny and drunk	15	4
Gamelin, Jacob		Pembroke	drunk	14	
Gernandi, Angelo		Concord	"	4	1
Graham, Fred		"	"	4	1
Hennessey, Daniel		Franklin	"	3	4
Huetner, Otto		Concord	"	3	2
Healey, Robert	3	Concord and Pembroke	"	27	2
Hunnyman, Joseph		Concord	"	3	5
Hanrahan, John	2	"	"	17	5
Hall, Henry	2	"	drunk, idle, disorderly	23	1
Howard, Frank		"	"	4	1
Harvey, Richard		"	"	4	1
Healey, Michael		"	"	4	1
Howard, Ed.		"	"	4	1
Hinton, Frank		"	"	4	1
Heath, George		"	"	4	1
Hebert Edward		"	"	4	1
Howard, Joseph		"	"	4	1
Hardy, Edward		"	idle person	7	
Hall, Joseph	2	"	drunk	10	6
Hamilton, James		"	"	4	1
Hampson, Charles		"	"	4	1
Higgins, Luke		"	"	4	1

Names.	Com- plaints.	Sent from.	Offense.	Time served.	
				W.	D.
Hayes, Bernard		Concord	drunk	4	1
Healey, Michael		"	drunk and disturbance	3	
Jones, Charles	2	"	drunk	11	
Johnson, Daniel		"	"	4	1
Jordan, Michael		"	"	4	1
James, Thomas		"	"	1	5
King, Thomas		"	"	13	5
King, Edward	3	"	"	31	
King, Joseph		Pembroke	"	5	
Kelly, Patrick		Concord	"	4	1
Keniston, Charles		"	"	4	1
Kennedy, Dick		"	"	4	1
Kane, Frank		Franklin	"	5	2
Kelly, Frank		"	"	4	2
Little, Wm.		Concord	"	4	1
LaPlant, Louis		"	"	7	
Libby, John		"	"	4	1
LaPlant, Melissa		"	"	2	6
Lamprey, Wm.		"	"	15	4
Lilly, John		"	"		2
Lowney, Charles		"	"	4	1
Lefebvre, Joseph		"	"	4	1
Lee, Patrick		"	"		1
Lee, Wm.		"	"	4	4
Lawson, David		"	"	5	4
Legacy, John		"	"	2	3
Moran, Fred		"	"	15	4
Murray, Wm.		Pembroke	"	5	
Murray, Delia		"	"	5	
Murphy, Thomas	2	Concord	"	48	2
Mitchell, Jennie		Pembroke	"	9	
McGinnis, John		"	vagabond	15	4
Mahoney, John		Concord	drunk	2	4
McDonald, John		"	"	3	2
McMichael, Ed.	2	"	"	15	3
McCarty, Conn		"	"	4	1
Morgan, Frank		"	"	4	1
Morrison, Walter		"	"	15	4
McDermott, John		"	"	4	1
McCormick, James		"	"	4	1
Mason, John		"	"	4	1
Mack, Edward		"	"	4	1
Moore, John		"	"	4	1
McDermott, Wm.		Franklin	"	5	

Names.	Com- plaints.	Sent from.	Offense.	Time served.	
				W.	D.
Murphy, James		Concord	drunk	4	1
Moore, Steven		"	"	4	1
Maginnis, Wm.		Pembroke	"	8	
McDonald, Ed.		Concord	"	2	
McDonald, Wm.		"	"	4	1
McKnight, Chas.		"	"	4	1
McCormick, John		"	"	4	1
Moran, Michael		"	"	3	1
Murphy, Michael		"	"	2	5
Murray, James		"	"	1	5
Owens, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Owens, Patrick		"	"	4	1
O'Connell, Michael		"	"	7	3
O'Shea, Patrick		Franklin	"	1	5
Pelky, Frank		Concord	"	4	1
Perkins, Charles	2	"	"	17	4
Pendergast, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Peppineau, George		"	"	4	1
Pratki, Antoine		"	"	4	1
Purcell, James		"	"	4	1
Quimby, Charles	3	"	"	42	3
Russell, George		"	"	1	3
Riley, Thomas	2	Pembroke and Boscawen	"	12	3
Ryan, John		Concord	"	4	1
Roach, Daniel		"	"	4	1
Roberts, Egbert		"	"	4	1
Real, John		"	"	4	1
Runnells, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Ranger, Thomas		"	"		2
Ryan, James	4	"	"	16	4
Russell, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Rogers, John		"	"	4	1
Rayno, Fred		"	"	4	1
Raymond, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Rainie, Arthur		"	"	7	3
Roberts, Frank		Franklin	"	4	5
Sullivan, Edward		Concord	"	3	5
Sullivan, Jerry	4	"	drunk and idle person	39	2
Sheldon, Daniel		"	drunk	4	
Sullivan, John		"	"	4	1
Stevens, David	2	"	"	15	3
Shay, John		"	"	13	6
Simmons, Cushman		"	"		2

Names.	Com- plaints.	Sent from.	Offense.	Time served.	
				W.	D.
Sullivan, Michael	2	Concord	drunk	8	2
Squires, Henry		"	"	4	1
Shurtleff, Forest		"	"	4	1
Simpson, Arthur	2	"	"	8	2
Smith, John		"	"	4	1
Sullivan, John		"	"	4	1
Shawcross, John		"	"	4	1
Shields, Frank		"	"	4	1
Smith, Patrick		"	"		2
Spring, Wm.		"	"	4	1
Spencer, Frank		Franklin	"	5	
Smith, Frank		Concord	"	4	1
Smith, Wm.		"	"	2	4
Taylor, James		Pittsfield	"	37	4
Virgin, Wm.		Concord	"	8	
Welch, James		"	"	4	1
Weymouth, Thomas		"	"	4	1
Wellington, Bert		"	idle person	7	
Watson, Henry		"	drunk	5	4
Welch, Martin		"	"	4	1
Wallace, Edward		Franklin	"	5	
Ward, John		Concord	"	9	4
Williams, John		"	"	9	4
Wilde, Charles		"	"	8	3
Ward, Henry		"	"	9	5
White, Fred		"	"	9	4
Number of prisoners January 1, 1898 . . . . .					33
committed during year . . . . .					180
Number of different prisoners during the year 1898 . . . . .					213
prisoners discharged during the year 1898 . . . . .					179
Number in House of Correction Dec. 31, 1898 . . . . .					34

### CASH RECEIPTS AT FARM FROM JANUARY 1, 1898, TO DECEMBER 31, 1898.

Jan. 14.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	\$14.00
22.	Chas. Heath, board . . . . .	8.00
22.	C. W. Carter, one calf . . . . .	1.00
Feb. 12.	Town of Pittsfield, board of J. Leav- itt . . . . .	95.42



Feb.	12.	Town of Epsom, board of S. Sanborn	\$99.28
	12.	Town of Epsom, board of G. Dutton .	143.14
	15.	Frank Robinson, breaking roads .	3.00
	19.	T. J. Courser, two calves . . .	3.00
Feb.	26.	J. Egan, board . . . . .	8.00
	26.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	5.00
Mar.	2.	H. Clough, one calf . . . . .	1.00
	5.	J. Walker, board of Martha Walker .	118.28
	15.	T. J. Courser, two calves . . . .	2.00
	19.	T. Riley, board . . . . .	14.00
	20.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	13.00
Apr.	12.	H. Clough, two calves . . . . .	2 00
	19.	H. P. Hood & Sons, cream . . . .	282.59
	25.	F. Tucker, board . . . . .	93.71
May	9.	H. P. Hood, cream . . . . .	129.20
	16.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	12.00
June	8.	H. P. Hood, cream . . . . .	121.05
	9.	T. J. Courser, two calves . . . .	2.00
	20.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	14.00
July	2.	H. P. Hood, cream . . . . .	143.65
	15.	Susie Dutton, clothes . . . . .	6.60
	16.	T. J. Courser, one calf . . . . .	1.00
	19.	C. W. Carter, three calves . . . .	3.00
Aug.	2.	Hood & Sons, cream . . . . .	132 60
	8.	E. Drake, board of Mary Drake .	78.00
	9.	B. Woodward, one calf . . . . .	1.00
	26.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	10.00
Sept.	1.	Hood & Sons, cream . . . . .	87.82
	9.	S. Choate, three calves . . . . .	3.00
	19.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	16.00
	19.	T. J. Courser, two calves . . . .	2.00
	22.	S. Choate, one calf . . . . .	1.00
	26.	J. Townsend, board . . . . .	2.00
Oct.	1.	H. P. Hood, cream . . . . .	80.85
	4.	Frank Tucker, board of Freeman Tucker . . . . .	45.42

Oct.	10.	G. Fisher, barrels	.	.	.	.	\$7.50
	19.	C. C. Paige, one coffin	.	.	.	.	4.50
	20.	S. Choate, one calf	.	.	.	.	1.00
Nov.	4.	H. P. Hood, cream	.	.	.	.	93.35
Nov.	26.	M. Blackstone, board	.	.	.	.	140.00
	27.	Boston Provision Co., pork	.	.	.	.	199.62
Dec.	5.	H. P. Hood, cream	.	.	.	.	95.20
	16.	F. Swetland, two pigs	.	.	.	.	5.00
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							\$2,344.78

### CASH EXPENDITURES AT FARM DURING THE YEAR 1898.

Mar.	31.	Paid Warren Abbott, county treasurer	.	.	.	.	\$528.12
May	9.	Paid Warren Abbott, county treasurer	.	.	.	.	300.00
June	28.	Paid Warren Abbott, county treasurer	.	.	.	.	356.55
Sept.	29.	Paid Warren Abbott, county treasurer	.	.	.	.	487.67
Dec.		Paid Warren Abbott, county treasurer	.	.	.	.	672.44
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							\$2,344.78

### PRODUCTS OF FARM DURING THE YEAR.

Hay	.	.	.	.	.	.	100 tons.
Ensilage	.	.	.	.	.	.	200 tons.
Potatoes	.	.	.	.	.	.	673 bushels.
Corn on the ear	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,383 bushels.
Beets	.	.	.	.	.	.	120 bushels.
Carrots	.	.	.	.	.	.	68 bushels.

Onions . . . . .	47 bushels.
Parsnips . . . . .	63 bushels.
Turnips . . . . .	85 bushels.
Cucumbers . . . . .	45 bushels.
Peas, green . . . . .	37 bushels.
Beans, green . . . . .	30 bushels.
Sweet corn . . . . .	87 bushels.
Cabbage . . . . .	1,200 heads.
Apples . . . . .	48 barrels.
Cream . . . . .	1,496 cans.

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### SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

To orders drawn by commissioners during the year . . . . .	\$25,629.64
By amount due for board, etc. . . . .	\$1,069.69
By amount paid treasurer by the superintendent . . . . .	2,344.78
By amount paid, permanent im- provements . . . . .	270.00
By amount, increase of inventory . . . . .	800.24
	<hr/> 4,484.71
Balance against farm . . . . .	\$21,144.93
Number of weeks' support furnished during the year . . . . .	9,759+
Average weekly cost of support . . . . .	\$2.16+

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. HILTON,

*Superintendent of Almshouse and House of Correction.*

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY AT COUNTY FARM,  
JANUARY 1, 1899.

Fuel . . . . .	\$2,623.75
Live stock . . . . .	1,903.00
Tools and farm implements . . . . .	1,501.96
Furniture, bedding, crockery, and tin . . . . .	4,502.42
Produce and provisions . . . . .	3,761.27
Dry goods and clothing . . . . .	1,811.22
Drugs and medicines . . . . .	425.00
Miscellaneous . . . . .	363.00
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	\$16,891.62

## REPORTS OF CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT.

*To the County Commissioners for the County of Merrimack :*

I submit the following statement of account for April Term, 1898:

Merrimack County: To A. J. Shurtleff, clerk, Dr.:

To services as allowed by court . . .	\$500.00
attendance at court 38 days . . .	114.00
postage, express, etc. . . . .	5.90
$\frac{1}{2}$ paid Evans for printing cases . . .	14.75
paid county treasurer, May 26, 1898 . . .	1,360.50
copies of amendment <i>State v. Cox</i> . . .	2.00
transfer and copies <i>State v. Powell</i> . . .	3.00
recording judgments . . . . .	66.81
certificates to judgments . . . . .	27.28
Debits . . . . .	\$2,094.24

### CREDITS.

By 262 entry fees . . . . .	\$235.80
6 jury fees . . . . .	30.00
dockets . . . . .	53.25
finest and costs in:	
<i>State v. Cox</i> , No. 559 . . . . .	74.93
<i>Douville</i> , 561 . . . . .	56.00
<i>Douville</i> , 562 . . . . .	51.00
<i>Dube</i> , 563 . . . . .	54.75
<i>Dube</i> , 564 . . . . .	51.00
<i>Duckworth</i> , 565 . . . . .	54.75
<i>Emond</i> , 566 . . . . .	80.77
<i>Emond</i> , 567 . . . . .	51.00
<i>Emond</i> , 567 $\frac{1}{2}$ . . . . .	51.00
<i>Fleury</i> , 568 . . . . .	58.09



By <i>State v. Fleury</i> ,	569 . . .	\$51.00
<i>Lafrance</i> ,	572 . . .	76.12
<i>Lafrance</i> ,	573 . . .	51.00
<i>Lynch</i> ,	574 . . .	54.75
<i>Maguire</i> ,	576 . . .	56.84
<i>Narcarm</i> ,	577 . . .	84.60
<i>Narcarm</i> ,	578 . . .	51.00
<i>J. H. Rainville</i> ,	581 . . .	73.46
<i>J. H. Rainville</i> ,	582 . . .	51.00
<i>J. H. Rainville</i> ,	583 . . .	51.00
<i>Joseph Sausterre</i> ,	585 . . .	56.00
<i>Welch</i> ,	587 . . .	69.44
<i>Welch</i> ,	588 . . .	51.00
<i>Gideon Mattheau</i> ,	552 . . .	18.10
<i>Henry Mattheau</i> ,	554 . . .	13.27
<i>Kempton</i> ,	571 . . .	15.25
<i>Mehegan</i> ,	609 . . .	25.00
<i>O' Kane</i> ,	610 . . .	68.03
<i>O' Kane</i> ,	611 . . .	21.97
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Credits . . . . .		\$1,841.17
Debits . . . . .		2,094.24
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Balance due A. J. Shurtleff . . . . .		\$253.07

The above balance was ascertained and certified by the presiding justice and was paid me by order on the county treasurer, drawn July 18, 1898.

A. J. SHURTLEFF, *Clerk*.

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*To the County Commissioners for the County of Merrimack :*

I submit the following statement of account for October Term, 1898:

Merrimack County : To A. J. Shurtleff, clerk, Dr. :

To services as allowed by court . . . . .	\$500.00
attendance at court 49 days . . . . .	147.00

By postage, express, etc. . . . .	\$4.00
½ paid Evans for printing cases . . . .	28.50
recording judgments . . . . .	139.40
certificates to same . . . . .	65.60
entry fee <i>State v. Duckworth</i> , No. 710, April term, 1898 . . . . .	1.20
paid for stamped envelopes . . . . .	22.16
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Debits . . . . .	\$907.86

## CREDITS.

By 214 entry fees . . . . .	\$192.60
7 jury fees . . . . .	35.00
dockets . . . . .	14.50
fine and costs in :	
<i>State v. Yeaton</i> , No. 565 . . . .	123.26
<i>Bailey</i> , 567 . . . .	16.66
<i>Lonegan</i> , 573 . . . .	20.23
<i>Guild</i> , 584 . . . .	20.28
<i>Tenney</i> , 589 . . . .	10.00
<i>Wilkinson</i> , 590 . . . .	29.32
<i>Wilkinson</i> , 591 . . . .	35.28
<i>Henneberry</i> , 602, April term, 1898 . . . . .	10.00
<i>Glines</i> , 575 . . . .	65.90
<i>Glines</i> , 576 . . . .	68.75
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Credits . . . . .	\$641.78
Debits . . . . .	907.86
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Balance due A. J. Shurtleff . . . . .	\$266.08

The above balance was ascertained and certified by the presiding justice and was paid me by order on the county treasurer, drawn Nov. 22, 1898.

A. J. SHURTLEFF, *Clerk*.

## SHERIFF'S REPORT.

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*To the Commissioners for the County of Merrimack :*

GENTLEMEN: I herewith submit my report for services and expenses of the supreme court from April 1, 1898, to January 1, 1899 :

### APRIL TERM, SUPREME COURT, 1898.

Paid Frank G. Edgerly, 33 days' attendance	\$99.00
M. Swain Clough, 20	50.00
Vivian S. Quimby, 9	22.00
Perley R. Cutler, 15	37.50
Omar A. Towne, 7	17.50
Fred'k L. Ireland, 10	25.00
George E. Clark, 18	45.00
Wm. H. Sawyer, 3	7.50
G. A. S. Kimball, 20	50.00
L. M. Sanborn, 16	40.00
Mittimus, <i>State v. Lacasse</i>	3.90
<i>Haseltine</i>	3.90
<i>McColgan</i>	3.90
<i>Everett</i>	3.90
<i>Hill</i>	3.90
<i>Lannon</i>	3.90
<i>Gendron</i>	3.90
<i>Gienty</i>	3.90
Key fees and conveyance	15.30
Food furnished jurors	28.00
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## OCTOBER TERM, SUPREME COURT, 1898.

Paid Frank G. Edgerly, 44 days' attendance	.	\$132.00
M. Swain Clough, 27	"	67.50
Omar A. Towne, 26	"	65.00
G. A. S. Kimball, 16	"	40.00
Vivian S. Quimby, 10	"	25.00
George E. Clark, 20	"	50.00
Perley R. Cutler, 28	"	70.00
Fred'k L. Ireland, 5	"	12.50
Mittimus, <i>State v. Cone</i>	.	3.90
	<i>Lakin</i>	3.90
	<i>Dodge</i>	3.90
	<i>Floyd</i>	3.90
	<i>Gerrish</i>	3.90
	<i>Delaney</i>	3.90
	<i>Barnes</i>	3.90
William L. Himes, chaplain	.	2.00
Food furnished jurors	.	39.30
Key fees and conveyance	.	29.30
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		\$559.90

FRANK G. EDGERLY, *Sheriff*.

## JAILOR'S REPORT.

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*To the Commissioners for the County of Merrimack :*

GENTLEMEN : I herewith submit the report of the number of prisoners confined in Merrimack county jail since the last report of January 1, 1898, as shown by the records of the jail :

Number in jail January 1, 1898 . . . . .	19
Number committed to jail from January 1, 1898, to January 1, 1899 . . . . .	65
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Total . . . . .	84
Number discharged from January 1, 1898, to Jan- uary 1, 1899 . . . . .	70
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Number in jail January 1, 1899 . . . . .	14

FRANK G. EDGERLY, *Jailor.*



## SOLICITOR'S REPORT.

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*To the County Commissioners for the County of Merrimack :*

GENTLEMEN : I submit the following report of my transactions as solicitor for the county of Merrimack for the year 1898 :

The grand jury have returned fifty indictments for the following enumerated offences :

Adultery . . . . .	3
Assault with intent to kill . . . . .	1
Aggravated assault . . . . .	4
Attempt to commit rape . . . . .	1
Bigamy . . . . .	1
Breaking and entering . . . . .	6
Cruelty to animals . . . . .	1
Embezzlement . . . . .	6
Forgery . . . . .	4
Larceny . . . . .	7
Obtaining property under false pretences . . . . .	3
Obstructing officer . . . . .	4
Tramp . . . . .	1
Violation of liquor law . . . . .	8

Ten of the respondents have been sent to jail, and five to the state prison for terms ranging from one year and one day to three years.

The county has been interested in two civil suits : One brought by Albert I. Foster & Co. against the county, to recover insurance premiums, which has been settled ; the other, a complaint under the bastardy law, the town of Pembroke complainant against William Duckworth. The last named action is now pending.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. M. FLETCHER, *Solicitor.*

*To the Commissioners for the County of Merrimack:*

I submit the following record of vital statistics at the County Farm from January 1, 1898, to January 1, 1899:

DEATHS.

NAME.	Date of death.	Sex.	Color.	Married, single, or widowed.	Age.	When admitted.	Admitted from.	Place of birth.	Pauper, prisoner or boarder.	Nationality.	Cause of death.
Ann Castles.....	Jan. 1.	F	White	S.	70	11-4-'97	Pembroke.	Ireland.	Pauper.	Irish.	Paralysis.
William Porter.....	Feb. 2.	M	White	S.	78	10-8-'91	Warner.	Warner.	"	American.	Old age.
Emma Cannon.....	Feb. 19.	F	White	M.	20	8-12-'97	Concord.	Vermont.	"	French.	La grippe.
Still-born child.....	Mar. 2.	F	White								
John Campbell ....	May 10.	M	White	S.	26	5-9-'98	Boscawen.	Conn.	"	Irish.	Surgical shock
Gladys Cannon.....	May 28.	F	White	S.	1½				"	French.	Cholera Infantum.
Agnes Cannon.....	May 29.	F	White	S.	1½				"	French.	Cholera Infantum.
Kate Carpenter.....	Sept. 2.	F	White	W.	84	6-22-'98	Danbury.	Canada.	"	French.	Apoplexy.
Freeman Tucker...	Oct. 4.	M	White	S.	30	8-31-'95	Salisbury.	Salisbury.	Boarder	American.	Chorea.

Christiana Fletcher	Nov. 5.	F White	M.	58-12-19-'91	London.	Pauper.	American.	Apoplexy.
George Glines.....	Nov. 2.	M White	W.	67-10-19-'98	Northfield.	"	American.	Old age.
George Griffin.....	Nov. 11.	M White	W.	83-5-23-'95	Epsom.	"	American.	Old age.
James B. Thorne...	Nov. 14.	M White	S.	51-7-5-'98	Franklin.	"	American.	Cirrhosis of Liver.
Nancy Haskell.....	Nov. 28.	F Col.	W.	82-8-14-'98	Concord.	"	Negress.	Apoplexy.
Joseph Gendron...	Dec. 12.	M White	W.	70-1-10-'97	Concord.	"	French.	Gangrene.
Susan Avery.....	Dec. 19.	F White	M.	51-1-18-'95	N. London.	"	American.	Spinal sclerosis.

There were four births between the above dates—three males and one female.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. HOLBROOK, M. D.







